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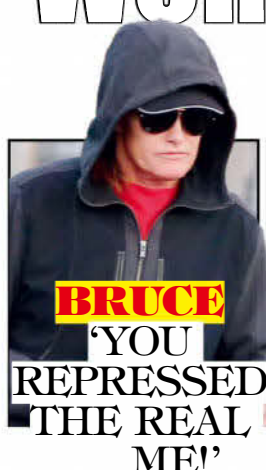
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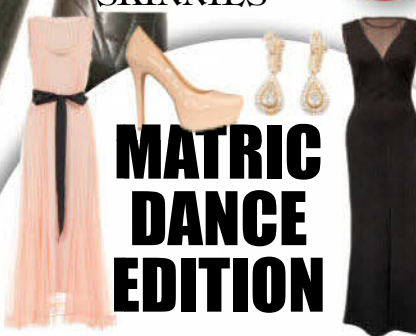


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# Spotted

BY EUGENIA BOOI



"Mmmmm... Tastes Like Fear. Just The Way I Like It"



## Drake Kissed A 'Girl'... But He Didn't Like It!



OKAY, so **Drake** may have planned on performing with the Queen of Pop herself during his headline set at Coachella, but he clearly hadn't counted on getting a sloppy smooch from the star (which is weird, if you think about it, because **Madge** basically kisses *all* her co-acts). And by the looks of things, the Material Granny's surprise attack left a lot to be desired... *A lot.* **Drizzy** sat on a chair with his hands on his lap, his head tilted backwards by the *Like A Prayer* singer, who then pounced on him with a French kiss while performing her new track *Human Nature*. A couple of agonising seconds later and **Drizzy** looked like he was fit to puke. Literally. Of course he tried to do some damage control later. The rapper posted a photo of the makeout session on his Instagram with the caption: "Don't misinterpret my shock!! I got to make out with the queen **Madonna** and I feel 100 about that forever. Thank you @madonna." But come now, **Drakey** – you can say what you want but your reaction speaks louder than your words ever could. And **Madge**, perhaps you need to face facts: when yours is seen as more of a Dementor's kiss, it's time to put the 'little mynx' act to rest.







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# #NoToXeno

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about – Xenophobia. #SoSad #SayNo

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against any  
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April 17, 2015 – South Africans  
chant xenophobic slogans on in  
Jeppestown, South Africa following  
looting of foreign-owned businesses  
in the area the previous night. The  
mob carried hammers, axes and  
golf clubs as weapons. Xenophobic  
attacks and looting began in Durban  
a few weeks ago and have spread  
to Johannesburg. South Africans  
recently gathered in Jeppestown,  
Johannesburg to express their  
dismay at the presence of foreign  
nationals in the area

A South African woman hands out food to a man  
from the Democratic Republic of Congo (DRC)  
taking refuge in Soetwater

Two women move their belongings  
after ongoing xenophobia attacks on  
Zimbabwe immigrants in the dense  
Alexandra township

A woman from Malawi holds her  
children after spending the night in  
the safety of a community centre near  
Imizamayethu informal settlement





# phobia

## #What's Trending

BY ANGELA BEKIARIS

## Ed's Letter

### #NoToXenophobia!

**W**E at people magazine have been in a turmoil of emotions the last few weeks with the xenophobic attacks – we are all crying for our beloved country. As if the loadshedding issues and crime increasing wasn't enough, we are now faced with the most violent attacks since Apartheid.

The latest xenophobic attacks have left us both angry and sad that humanity can continue to treat itself in this manner. People are being attacked and savagely killed, while others are left fearing for their lives. They've lost their homes and businesses which they have worked hard for – contrary to what many may think, they *haven't* just been given to them – and they are now fleeing to go back to their countries. We have an absolutely stunning country and all most of us want is to just live a peaceful life. This week, we take a look at what has been going on in South Africa. Our streets are a scary place to be at the moment, as you can see by the pictures on these pages.

On a lighter note, though – it's Matric farewell season already. They've only been back at school for four months but they're already planning and getting excited. In my day (yes – I am going back quite a few years!), we had our dance towards the end of the year, after exams, and it didn't cost parents nearly as much as it does today. The Grade 11s would raise funds throughout the year to help cover the costs and we had our dance in the school hall. Sure, it wasn't the most glamorous, but there was just no way a Matric farewell would be held in a fancy hotel! Listening to the stories about the dances today, however, it seems there is so much more to a Matric dance than just a night out in the school hall. In some schools you actually have to be *invited*, and for most Matrics it has become the most memorable night of their school career. So if you're looking forward to the greatest of all school nights, we're here to help you pick the perfect dress and look just fabulous from head to toe – turn to pages 27-38 for your Matric farewell edition. Now all you have to do is choose your lucky date!

Enjoy!

*Andrea*

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### You Said It!

Readers have spoken out on social media about the situation in SA:

@People\_SA #peoplewantstoknow #southafrica #loadshedding #XenophobicSA its shocking uncalled for this has made our country a laughing stock **people** says: We are sad too, and hate that the world is watching this madness.

@People\_SA people are dying in the streets #xenophobia and entertainment is all you can offer us. We also need educated celebrities. **people** says: While we understand where you are coming from – and are very saddened by everything happening in SA – the magazine has to hit shelves weekly. And **people** magazine is a celebrity magazine – our readers look forward to their weekly dose, and in a way the entertainment allows us all to focus on something light-hearted for a while.

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**S**OUTH AFRICA is heartbroken as it is faced with the worst attacks and acts of violence seen since Apartheid. Starting only a few weeks back in Durban, the xenophobic attacks have moved up to Johannesburg, leaving six people dead and the entire country traumatised. We take a sad look at what's been happening in our beloved country – and the worst part is that it's been happening for too long.

### Xenophobia After 1994

XENOPHOBIA has increased after the installation of a democratic government in 1994. In September 1998, a Mozambican and two Senegalese were thrown out of a train by a group returning from a rally that blamed foreigners for unemployment, crime and spreading Aids. According to a study done in 2004 – based on a citizen survey across member states of the Southern African Development Community (SADC) – 21 percent of South Africans were in favour of a complete ban on entry by foreigners, while 64 percent were in favour of strict limitations on the numbers allowed. By contrast, the next-highest proportion of respondents in favour of a total ban on foreigners was in neighbouring Namibia and Botswana, at 10 percent.

### Xenophobia Before 2008

ACCORDING to a 1998 Human Rights Watch report, immigrants from Malawi, Zimbabwe and Mozambique

living in the Alexandra township were 'physically assaulted over a period of several weeks in January 1995'. Armed gangs in a campaign known as 'Buyelekhaya' (go back home) blamed foreigners for crime, unemployment and sexual attacks, identified suspected undocumented migrants and marched them to the police station in an attempt to 'clean' the township of foreigners. Over a five-week period in 2000, seven foreigners were killed on the Cape Flats. In October 2001 residents of the Zandspruit informal settlement gave Zimbabweans 10 days to leave the area. When they failed to leave voluntarily they were forcefully evicted and their shacks were burned down and looted. In the last week of 2005 and first week of 2006 at least four people, including two Zimbabweans, died in the Olivenhoutbosch settlement after foreigners were blamed for the death of a local man. Shacks belonging to foreigners were set alight and locals demanded that police remove all immigrants from the area. In August 2006 Somali refugees appealed for protection after 21 Somali traders were killed in July of that year and 26 more in August. Attacks on foreign nationals increased markedly in late 2007.

### Xenophobia Returned In 2008

REPORTS state at least a dozen attacks occurred between January and May 2008 – the most severe on January 8, 2008, when two Somali shop owners were murdered in Jeffreys Bay and East London. In the same year seven people were killed, including Zimbabweans, Pakistanis, and a Somali, after their shops and shacks were set alight in Attteridgeville, near Pretoria.

### Attacks Continue From 2009-2013

IN late May 2009, there was xenophobic related activity in the Western Cape. In 2010 the press carried numerous articles claiming that there would be massive planned xenophobic violence at the end of the 2010 Football World Cup – this, luckily, did not happen....until 2012, when there were new attacks in Cape Town and in the Free State. In May 2013, 25-year-old Abdi Nasir Mahmoud Good was stoned to death, which was captured on a cell phone and shared worldwide. The next year saw a Somali national in his 50s reportedly stoned to death and two others seriously injured when an angry mob of locals attacked their shop in extension 6. Three more Somalis were wounded from gunshots and their shops were looted.

### Xenophobia Hits Again: April 2015

THE last few weeks we have witnessed an upsurge in xenophobic attacks throughout the country. Armed locals attacked immigrants in general, including Pakistani and Bangladeshi shopkeepers. The attacks started in Durban, and spread to Johannesburg with locals reportedly looting foreigners' properties and attacking immigrants in general, forcing hundreds of migrants to relocate to police stations across the country. At the time of going to print, six people have been killed in the attacks.

South Africans run from rubber bullets fired by police when they looted a Somali-owned business following xenophobic attacks on foreigners in Du Noon, Cape Town, on May 23, 2008

A journalist from *Sunday Times* lies in the street after he was reportedly stabbed by a mob in Alexandra Township on April 18, 2015





# HARRY BEGS CHELSY

## 'Run Away With Me!'

IT seems the on-and-off couple are on again...for now.

**P**RINCE HARRY has been begging his ex Chelsy Davy to join him in Australia when he ends his military service next month. The 30-year-old royal has rekindled his romance with the feisty blonde in recent weeks, and he wants to seal their reconciliation with a backpacking trip for two through the Outback.

"Harry has this crazy notion about popping the question at Ayers Rock," discloses a long-time friend. "And he's been looking at diamond rings, just in case he is tempted to go through with it. He was always very impressed by the way his brother William proposed to Kate while they were on safari in Kenya – and said how he'd like to do something similar."

Now that day could be fast approaching! Harry and Chelsy, 29, have been taking kiddie steps with their relationship since reconnecting just before Valentine's Day. The pair dated on and off for seven turbulent years before finally splitting shortly after the royal wedding in April 2011. "They had a lot of rows when they were together previously," admits the friend, "But this time things so much calmer. It's almost like they have both mellowed while they have been apart. To those who know them well, it's not really a surprise that they have become close again. Despite all the arguments, they really are soul-mates." Apparently it was the Duchess of Cambridge who brought the two back together, after



Cressida Bonas



Chelsy will only take Harry back if he proposes

Harry has been looking at diamond rings, and wants Chelsy to join him in Australia when his military service ends



The Duke and Duchess of Cambridge – Kate reportedly brought Harry and Chelsy back together

Chelsy split from her long-time boyfriend, society jeweller Charles Goode, at the start of the year. Harry hasn't been long out of his romance with Cressida Bonas, the source says, and Kate has always known that Chelsy is the big love of his life. "And she acted as go-between to see how they still felt about each other. It was pretty obvious that both of them were keen to start seeing each other again. But Chelsy made it clear that she was looking for a husband and wanted to have children. And she let Harry know that she would only take him back if he was deadly serious about having a lasting relationship." Zimbabwean-born Chelsy has been spending a lot of time in

London in recent weeks after quitting her job at law firm Allen & Overy. "She has been trying to keep things low-key with Harry," explains the friend.

"She has had a couple of sleepovers at Kensington Palace, but they have been trying to stay out of the spotlight. Chelsy's view is that they will go public when she is good and ready. And Harry is only too happy to comply with her wishes. That's why they have decided to get away somewhere peaceful for a few weeks. They need to spend some quality time together, rather than dating in a goldfish bowl like London."

So before he went Down Under for his month with the Aussie Army, Harry pleaded with Chelsy to join him once his official duties were over. "But she seemed reluctant," admits the friend. That's when the crafty Prince tried to make her jealous by going to see Cressida Bonas perform on the London stage on March 25. "And it worked," says the source, "Because now Chelsy realises that she can't play hardball with Harry for too long – else she risks losing him forever!" So it looks like the pair are set for their big Outback adventure following Harry's newly announced visit to New Zealand on May 9-16. "Harry also wants to take Chelsy to the Barrier Reef and maybe go on to Asia or the Indian Ocean afterwards. They will both soon have time off and he wants to spend every moment with her. Chelsy still loves Harry, there is no doubt about it. But this time if they get back together,

she has to know it's forever. She can't face seeing him for a few months and then splitting again. She's made it clear to Harry that she wants to get married and have kids – and if he isn't ready to pop the question, he can forget about a relationship. As far as Chelsy is concerned, it's all or nothing."

**'It's almost like they have both mellowed while they have been apart.'**





# Chef's Choice: **PEA AND MINT SOUP**

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  - 1.5L hot vegetable stock
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  - 900g frozen baby peas
  - 10g fresh mint leaves
  - 85g Parmesan, finely grated

## Directions

### PEA SOUP:

- In a large saucepan, heat the butter and olive oil. When it starts foaming, add the spring onions. Gently fry until golden. Stir in the stock and bring to the boil.
- Stir in the peas and milk, simmer for about three to five minutes until they are heated through. Remove the pan from the heat, add the mint leaves. Using a stick blender, blend until smooth.

### PARMESAN CRISPS:

- Preheat oven to 200°C.
- Line a baking sheet with baking paper and divide the grated Parmesan into even circles.
- Bake on middle shelf for five to six minutes or until golden brown. While still warm and a bit flexible, lift the crisps from the baking sheet with a palette knife, allow to cool on a cooling rack until set.
- Serve soup with the Parmesan crisps.



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## Getting Down(ey) With Hollywood

JUST 10 years ago many people thought of **Robert Downey Jr** as a washed-up has-been actor – now he dominates the movie business, and in no small part because of his beloved performance as Tony Stark (AKA Iron Man)! And recently the star turned 50, so naturally, to mark the occasion, he threw a *huge* party, with a glittering A-list attendance register. **Jennifer Aniston** and fiancé **Justin Theroux**, **Reese Witherspoon** and husband **Jim Toth**, **Gwen Stefani** and **Gavin Rossdale**, **Orlando Bloom**, and **Katie Holmes** were just some of the big names who gathered at Santa Monica's Barker Hangar for **Rob's** star-powered soirée.

**Gwyneth Paltrow** was spotted with 'secret' boyfriend **Brad Falchuk**, co-creator of *Glee* and *American Horror Story*, seemingly confirming what had been rumoured before: that they are, in fact a couple. As mentioned before, **Jennifer Anniston** was also there with her partner **Justin Theroux**, and according to sources inside the party the two were not ashamed to indulge in public displays of affection. "**Jen** and **Justin** looked happy and were very affectionate," the source says. "They kept hugging and kissing."

Joined by his wife Susan, (Iron) Man of the hour and his guests, who also included **Jeremy Renner**, **Dustin Hoffman**, **Edward Norton** and **Jason Bateman**, enjoyed a rare private performance by **Steely Dan**, amongst numerous other musical interludes from top jazz musicians.

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Orlando Bloom up close with Justin Theroux



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Justin Theroux, Orlando Bloom and Jason Bateman



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Brad Falchuk and Gwyneth Paltrow



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TV & Radio Presenter **Jen Su** brings you the lowdown on entertainment's biggest weekend – a doubleheader of the 2015 MTN Radio Awards in Joburg, and the 21st Annual South African Music Awards in Sun City.

**A**WARDS, awards, and more awards – that was the name of the game with SA entertainment's biggest weekend, which saw the 6th Annual MTN Radio Awards and the 21st South African Music Awards (SAMAS) take place. The who's who from both industries (not to mention the media) all swarmed to Joburg and Sun City to partake in the celebrations.

The MTN Radio Awards were held at the Sandton Convention Centre, and were emceed by comedian **Joey Rasdien**. Lance Rothschild, CEO of the MTN Radio Awards, commented: "We are delighted with the way the industry has adopted these awards, with a new record in entries from stations and organisations, and a huge increase in support from the industry."

The awards ceremony, which celebrated the various categories of community, PBS and commercial radio, ended just past midnight, with winners including Jacaranda FM for Commercial Station of the Year, Thobela FM Best PBS Station, and Radio Pulpit as Community Station of the Year. Radio personalities who graced the red carpet included **Kieno Kammies**, **Pabi Moloi**, **Sureshni Rider**, **Rob Forbes**, **Fix Moeti**, **Rob Vember**, **Aki Anastasiou**, **Darren Scott**, **Guy McDonald**, **Andrew Hope**, and **Skhumbuzo Mbatha**. And with their awesome outfits, the glamorous guests were not just faces for radio!



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Jen Su and Sureshni Rider



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The next morning it was off to Sun City for the **2015 South African Music Awards** – I checked in at The Palace of the Lost City, and it was off to the red carpet where the famous 'Drama of the SAMAS' was front and centre, with **HHP** emceeding for the night. Unlike the gold belts and lace cocktail dresses of the Radio Awards carpet, the SAMAS red carpet was full of bling bling, long gowns, sunglasses, and sideboob! And this year's #SAMAXXI goodie bags were worth over R2-million!

Among the Best Dressed in my book were: **Pearl Thusi**, who wore a crimson and black signature David Tlale gown with a plunging, open neckline; rapper **Cassper Nyovest**, who won Newcomer of the Year and wore a full-on green suit; and **AKA** looked super cool in his black suit jacket, which was lit up with 100 lights, designed by Paledi Segapo of Pulse Homme. **Bucie Nqwiliso**, who won Female Of The Year, stunned in a fuchsia plunging gown with silver sequin trim. **Lerato Kganyago**, who was busy with backstage interviews, opted for a short, burnished silver matte sequin dress, and **Kelly Khumalo** went for the long lace look, while her sister chose black and white to complement **Kelly's** outfit.

Beatenberg won three awards in three minutes, including Best Group – although the highest kudos went to Aking for winning Best Rock Album, with their F-bomb acceptance speech getting the Twitterverse trending – and Kia Record of the Year went to **K.O.** featuring **Kid X** for featuring **Kid X** for **Cara Cara**. And then it was off to the afterparty!

Visit our website for pics of the above stars at the SAMAS.



RiRi has called off her joint tour with the rapper – we reveal why!



## RIHANNA DROPS KANYE

BY ANGELA BEKIARIS

**J**UST a few weeks back Kim Kardashian was panicking over husband Kanye West's joint tour with Rihanna. But it seems the reality star stressed for nothing, now that Rihanna has just called off her joint tour with the rapper – for her own benefit! She's always been one the wilder ones – which gave Kimmy even more reason to be worried about leaving her man alone with the hot star – but who knew the so-called man-eater is actually one of the wiser ones too? While Rihanna and Kanye recently worked together on RiRi's new album – with Kanye not only producing the album but also working together with Sir Paul McCartney too, to make one of the biggest hits of the year, *FourFiveSeconds* – it seems Rihanna saw a few things about good ol' Kanye that Kim hasn't.

With a world tour planned from February this year, and with fans around the world excited to see the duo in person, it seems many are going to be left disappointed – including Kanye.

A source claimed, "She started having second thoughts shortly after it was revealed back in February that the tour details were 'accidentally' released by Kanye's creative team, DONDA. She didn't like how it was announced and felt like Kanye would take control over how the tour was promoted, too. She didn't want to be a part of it." Insiders also feel that the Barbadian beauty is pulling out because of Kim, too – wherever Kim goes, a huge entourage follows, and RiRi is just not in the mood for it. "She didn't want Kim to interfere with her work or her image. She's worried that everyone thinks she's a joke and she'd ruin her brand."

## RiRi DENIES COCAINE USE

RIHANNA sets the record straight after drug allegations.

**A**S if she's not getting enough publicity by dropping Kanye, Rihanna is now dealing with rumours of her indulging in more than just marijuana these days! After a suspicious video taken during Coachella recently went viral, the pop singer is defending her actions, denying that she snorted cocaine!

The video shows two of RiRi's friends dancing to music and drinking, while Rihanna, dressed in a black dress, rolls a cigarette in the background. But things got suspicious after she wiped her nose and the video cuts out. Rihanna, being the woman that she is, took to the comments section of the Vine, where the video had been posted: "N— a your lame ass got some f—g nerve!!!" she wrote, "Any fool could see that's a joint that I'm basing with cigarette! Who snorts tobacco??!! FOH

witcho 'never been to a rodeo so someone squeezing their nose means they're doing coke' lookin ass!!!" The self-professed 'bad girl' later shared a video on her Instagram account – the clip was taken at Coachella in the same setting as the Vine video, and it appears to show Rihanna doing exactly what she reportedly claimed to be doing: rolling a cigarette. RiRi also posted an Instagram picture of herself holding a can of Coca-Cola, in an apparent reference to the controversial video. She captioned the photo "#petty."



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# Couple News

BY ANGELA BEKIARIS

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## Is Nicki Minaj Engaged?

NEWS broke this week about **Nicki Minaj** – and it included the word ‘fiancé’. Sources say the star has agreed to marry rapper **Meek Mill**. Sporting a huge rock on her wedding finger – and of course nails and nail art that almost stole the limelight away from the ring – the star made headlines with engagement rumours. But mommy dearest Carol Maraj has reportedly denied everything, despite the hints that herself had been dropping hints on social media. “I talk to my daughter every day, and she said she was not engaged,” Maraj said at the Dress For Success gala in Manhattan, where she was honoured for her work supporting domestic violence victims.



## Kim Dislikes Kris & Kanye's Relationship

ACCORDING to insiders, **Kanye West** and mother-in-law **Kris Jenner** are business BFFs – and **Kim Kardashian** is NOT happy! While the in-laws started off butting heads, it seems they've found some common ground – and what's better than being business bestie with **Kris Jenner**, right? Sources say the two have become very close, adding that their new fond bond is upsetting Kim. The insider dished that **Kanye** and **Kris** ‘really bonded on their recent trip to Europe, and now they're thick as thieves’. The source claims the two business masterminds have come together to plot their world takeover. “She's on the phone to him 24/7, asking his advice and involving him in the big business decisions all of a sudden,” the source says, adding, “When he needs help with **North** or anything practical, she's his first call.” And instead of being happy that her mom and husband get along, insiders say the reality star is irritated because she feels like they're ganging up on her the whole time. “**Kris** and **Kanye** are constantly brainstorming **Kim's** upcoming appearances and schedule together – before she even sees it herself! – which has added to her annoyance.” **Kanye** has admitted in the past that it's ‘super-cool’ to have a mother again after his mom **Donda West** passed away in 2007.



## Amber Wants Family-Friendly Mansion

**AMBER HEARD** has reportedly told husband **Johnny Depp** that she wants him to trade his bachelor pad in for a family-friendly mansion. The new **Mrs Depp** is demanding the actor sell his Los Angeles bachelor penthouse so the newlyweds can purchase a mansion to expand their soon-to-be growing family! “It's more like a museum or a clubhouse than a place you can raise a family,” says a source. “If he wants her to give him kids, which he most definitely does, he's going to have to find them a real house in Hollywood.” The actors tied the knot in a private island ceremony in February. **Johnny** has two children, daughter Lily-Rose, 15 and son Jack, 13, from his relationship with ex-girlfriend **Vanessa Paradis**.



## Nick Will Always Love Mariah

**NICK CANNON** and **Mariah Carey** might have called it a day, but according to the *America's Got Talent* presenter, **Mariah** will always be the love of his life. The star apparently has a whole lot of love for the mother of his kids. “It's one of those things, I'm just romantic too,” he revealed in an

interview. “To me, one thing I know, that will always be the love of my life, always be my family and that's never going to change.” When asked recently if he would ever get back together with **Mariah**, he responded, “Never say ‘never’.” Hmmmm....

## Naya Rivera Enjoys 'Baby Moon'

*GLEE* star **Naya Rivera** is loving her pregnancy and decided to treat herself to a great vacation before the baby arrives. The star, who announced she was expecting her first child with husband **Ryan Dorsey** two months ago, posted a photo on Instagram of her dipping into the ocean in a brown two-piece bikini, showing off her growing bump. “Baby moon,” she captioned the pic, while staying close to shore in her black sun hat. Enjoy the peace and quiet while it lasts, **Naya** ...





BY ANGELA BEKIARIS

# No Weight Drama For Kelly

KELLY CLARKSON'S weight is no longer an issue – for her, that is!

**F**ORMER *American Idol* winner Kelly Clarkson has been making headlines for her weight ever since she first hit stardom. And while it's no secret the star has had trouble losing some kilos – especially after giving birth to daughter River Rose – it seems the

world cares more about her extra kilos than she does. The singer recently revealed that she will never obsess about her figure. Because she's had to deal with many horrible comments over the years about her weight, the star admits that it's made her develop thicker skin. "There are just some people who are born skinny and with a great metabolism – that is not me. I wish I had a better metabolism,

but someone else probably wishes they could walk into a room and make friends with everyone like I can. You always want what someone else has, don't you? I don't obsess about my weight, which is probably one of the reasons why other people have such a problem with it."

## Zoë's Eating Disorder Exposed

ZOË KRAVITZ opens up about battling an eating disorder.

**T**HE gorgeous daughter of Lenny Kravitz and Lisa Bonet has been chatting about her eating disorder in recent interviews. The star, who struggled with eating healthy for a long time – a struggle many men and women around the world deal with – recalls her shocking body transformation while filming *The Road Within* in 2013.

Zoë, who played a woman with anorexia and dropped to 40kg, says, "Part of me didn't want to gain the weight back, which was scary. I went through eating disorders in high school, so it triggered some old stuff." According to the star, she lost so

much weight that her body fought back. "I was so thin that I wasn't getting my period," she added. But the worst thing for her was everyone's reactions. "People were like, 'You look so good!' I was like, 'Oh my God, that is disturbing'." Luckily for her, the star is looking healthier and happier these days, and it's all thanks to her revelation on New Year's Eve 2013. "I just felt it was different. I don't know if a f\*\*\*ing spirit came over me and said: 'You have to stop'. I feel like something has left my body, like some part of me is gone now, something that was making me so insecure. And it feels amazing."

## Pink Slams Body-Shamers!

PINK is lashing out after receiving nasty comments about her weight.

**R**OCK star Pink has never been one to worry about what people think. And while she might not be the most beautiful woman in everyone's eyes, the singer is making it clear that she believes she is, slamming body-shamers who think otherwise.

After being called fat recently, Pink spoke out: "I feel beautiful." After an onslaught of negativity

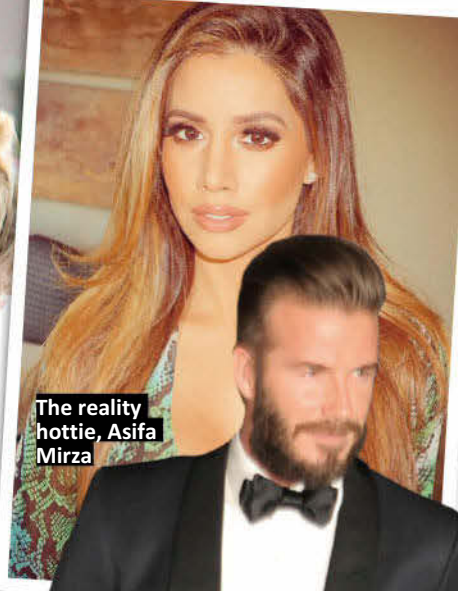
surrounding her dress at a cancer benefit recently, Pink took to Twitter to address those criticising her body. "I can see that some of you are concerned about me from your comments about my weight," she began. "You're referring to the pictures of me from last night's cancer benefit that I attended to support my dear friend Dr. Maggie DiNome. She was given the Duke Award for her tireless efforts and stellar contributions to the eradication of cancer. But unfortunately, my weight seems much more important to some of you."

The 35-year-old, who wore a black, ankle-length gown with a deep V-neck top to the ball, added: "While I admit

that that dress didn't photograph as well as it did in my kitchen, I will also admit that I felt very pretty. In fact, I feel beautiful. So, my good and concerned peoples, please don't worry about me. I'm not worried about me. And I'm not worried about you either:... I am perfectly fine, perfectly happy, and my healthy, voluptuous and crazy strong body is having some much deserved time off. Thanks for your concern. Love, cheesecake."

The singer went on to post some of the nasty comments made, such as "@Pink fat b\*\*ch loose wait." (Yes, the slammer couldn't even spell!)





The reality hottie, Asifa Mirza



Rebecca Loos



Becks and Posh



Posh's son, Brooklyn might have his eye on Asifa

# Is Becks Playing Ball With Someone Else

## AGAIN?

BY ANGELA BEKIARIS

COULD a reality hottie be coming between Posh and Becks?

**O**NCE a cheater, always a cheater – right? Well, while that seems to be the case for some, David Beckham has worked hard on his marriage and family after being caught cheating with Rebecca Loos in 2004. But now, 11 years later, it seems wife Victoria is starting to panic that it could happen all over again! There's no denying the former soccer stud is a charmer, which is why Vic has been tagging along with him wherever he goes these days – that and the fact that rumour has it reality hottie Asifa Mirza has her eye on the Brit. According to sources, Victoria recently decided to join her husband during a SoulCycle class in Los Angeles. And while she might really just be enjoying the new exercise regimen, sources say the fact that he is surrounded by beautiful women is the real motivation her. Rumour also has it that reality hottie Asifa

Mirza, from *Shahs Of Sunset*, takes the same class and that Vic feels threatened by her. "She was determined to go along with David to make sure that there was no funny business going on," says an insider. And things went from bad to worse when Vic saw in person how friendly her husband is to all the women in the class. Asifa, however, wasn't there so Vic didn't get a chance to pick up on any chemistry between her husband and the sexy reality star. But while her intuition may be spot-on – and let's be honest, with a husband like David Beckham, any woman would be keeping constant vigilance – another source reveals that it's really her son Brooklyn she should be keeping an eye on instead. Insiders claim it's the 16-year-old who has his eye on Asifa. Eyewitnesses say the teen, who is getting sexier by the day, has been spotted smiling broadly while chatting to his new female

friend after a visit to class with his famous father. But smiles or not, Asifa doesn't seem very interested in any of the Beckham men – well, for now. Because despite fans disapproval, Asifa is once again dating her ex-husband Bobby Panahi. The star has reportedly giving her former man another shot at love, saying, "We are so in love. It's so different now because we know how to communicate. I am glad we took a chance again and didn't just end things for good." Asifa went on to say that she believes people give up on relationships too soon, thereby devaluing them. "And cheating nowadays – especially with these dating apps...it's so easy to meet people. We have an unconventional relationship but are very happy," she added. The couple wed back in 2011 and separated only months later. Since they've started dating again, Asifa has hopes that they will eventually get re-married, this time with a ring.

Sounds like Posh doesn't have anything to worry about – well, at least from that corner. But hey, she's got nothing to lose by getting in some SoulCycle in the process, except perhaps for any unwanted kilos!



Asifa with her ex-husband, Bobby Panahi



# CliffCentral Turns 1

HE shocked the country when he announced that he was leaving 5FM and now, a year later, **Gareth** feels like he has accomplished more than ever before.

BY EL BROIDE

**W**HILE the concept of online radio is still

rather new for many South Africans, the truth is that it's been around for years, and we already have a few online radio stations, such as 2OceansVibe, Balz Radio and Lucky Radio that have attracted a loyal listener base.

When **Gareth Cliff**, the host of one of the most listened-to breakfast shows in the country, announced that he was leaving his stable job at a commercial radio station to venture into this unknown territory in South African radio, it was easy to see why the public didn't necessarily understand his decision. Now, as CliffCentral celebrates its first birthday on May 1, **Gareth Cliff** looks back at the most exciting year of his life.

"Starting this business has been the best thing I have ever done," **Gareth** tells us. "Better than my greatest radio shows, and all of my other achievements. This is my contribution to the future and to creating opportunities for talented young people in South Africa. Those first weeks, when thousands of people auditioned to be a part of our line-up, were eye-opening and exciting beyond description."

Speaking of the future, **Gareth** understands that while commercial radio is still dominating the local airwaves, the arrival of high-speed Internet and many other factors are ripening the environment for an explosion of Internet radio stations – and he wants to be at the forefront of this change in dynamics. "Online radio is growing," he says. "The total listening audience in America doubled in one year...but most exciting is the way podcasting is taking off. We had three million podcast downloads since we launched. We're leading the way in getting people to connect with content they really want. That is the future of on-demand, online content."

The DJ understands that topics discussed on commercial radio pique the interest of different



TG Squared hosts, Trevor Gumbi and Nina Hastie, with comedian guests Griff, Tall A\$\$ Mo and Vuyo Mse

individuals and while the content may be interesting for some, others will start flicking between stations. Therefore, CliffCentral is an amalgamation of different topics; **Gareth** has created at least one podcast for each of his potential listeners' interests. These topics include general knowledge, celebrity culture, health, finance, sex, animals, technology, business and many more. These topics, paired with some lively personalities, are why the first year of CliffCentral has been so successful.

"I am amazed at the talent and variety we have at CliffCentral.com," **Gareth** tells us. Some of the personalities who host their own shows include **Casper De Vries, Trevor Gumbi, Somizi, Phumi Mashigo, Hlubi Mboya, Adriaan Groenewald, Aspasia Karras, Tony Ndoro, Kaunda Ntunja, Helen Desbois and Tumisho Masha**, and **Gareth** promises even more surprises in the next few months.

It is, however, his former 5FM breakfast team that helped many listeners migrate to the online station. While the family stayed intact for the first few months, **The Gareth Cliff Show**, hosted by **Gareth Cliff, Mabale Moloi, Damon Kalvari and Leigh-Ann Mol**, saw its first crack with the exit of **Leigh-Ann**. **Gareth**, however, admits that as hard as it was to lose his side-kick, her exit wasn't a hard knock for the station. "I love **Leigh-Ann** and I was sad to lose her – but what better way to lose someone than love?" he asks. "She moved to be with the man she loves and that's a positive move. You also learn very quickly that nobody is irreplaceable, even the most brilliant, talented people.

Things change and you adapt, sometimes surprisingly fast."

**Gareth** also understands that when starting any business, one encounters speed-bumps along the way – speed-bumps one would need to adapt to very quickly. When asked what lessons he's learned over the past year that he wishes he'd known before starting the station, the DJ admits that he is still learning every day and wouldn't change a thing, and that the journey in itself had been exhilarating.

"We were ahead of the curve when we launched CliffCentral and when you're pioneering, you often learn as you go along. I have a very experienced

business partner and we have a great team, so crafting this journey has been relatively smooth, although it's hasn't been without anxiety. So far, there's nothing I would have done differently," he says.

A few months after CliffCentral launched, many media houses reported on the fact that the station wasn't doing as well as expected and in response to this **Gareth** admitted that he was 'starting something so new and so different, it'll take some people a lot longer to break habits; to get their heads around how easy it is to listen online and for advertisers to understand the future of media'. "For every thousand FM listeners, just passing through between songs, news, traffic, commercials and noise, I now get one golden online listener – worth 1 000 times the former," the DJ explains. "These people are discerning early adopters – the leaders of tomorrow, people who think big and outside of the rules. They're the people you really want to know." Once advertisers understand the value of these listeners, **Gareth** says, they will be able to target their message to a group of people who have an interest in the station and the particular segment advertised in, which will, ultimately, ensure that an advertiser is able to direct their message to people who will have an interest in their product or service and who are voluntarily tuning in to this content.

With CliffCentral still growing, **Gareth** has admitted that his days on commercial radio are done and dusted. "I think it would be like taking a free creature and confining it to a boring, dirty cage. I wouldn't be excited to work for any of them, and they just aren't able to do anything innovative anymore," he says. CliffCentral has done some amazing things in its first year and **Gareth** tells us that we can expect a lot more growth from the station in its second year. "I can promise our audiences worldwide that we're going to be upping the game – our shows are getting better and better, the number of people listening live and to podcasts is growing steadily and we're adding more and more ingredients to the mix – try us: There's a show for you."



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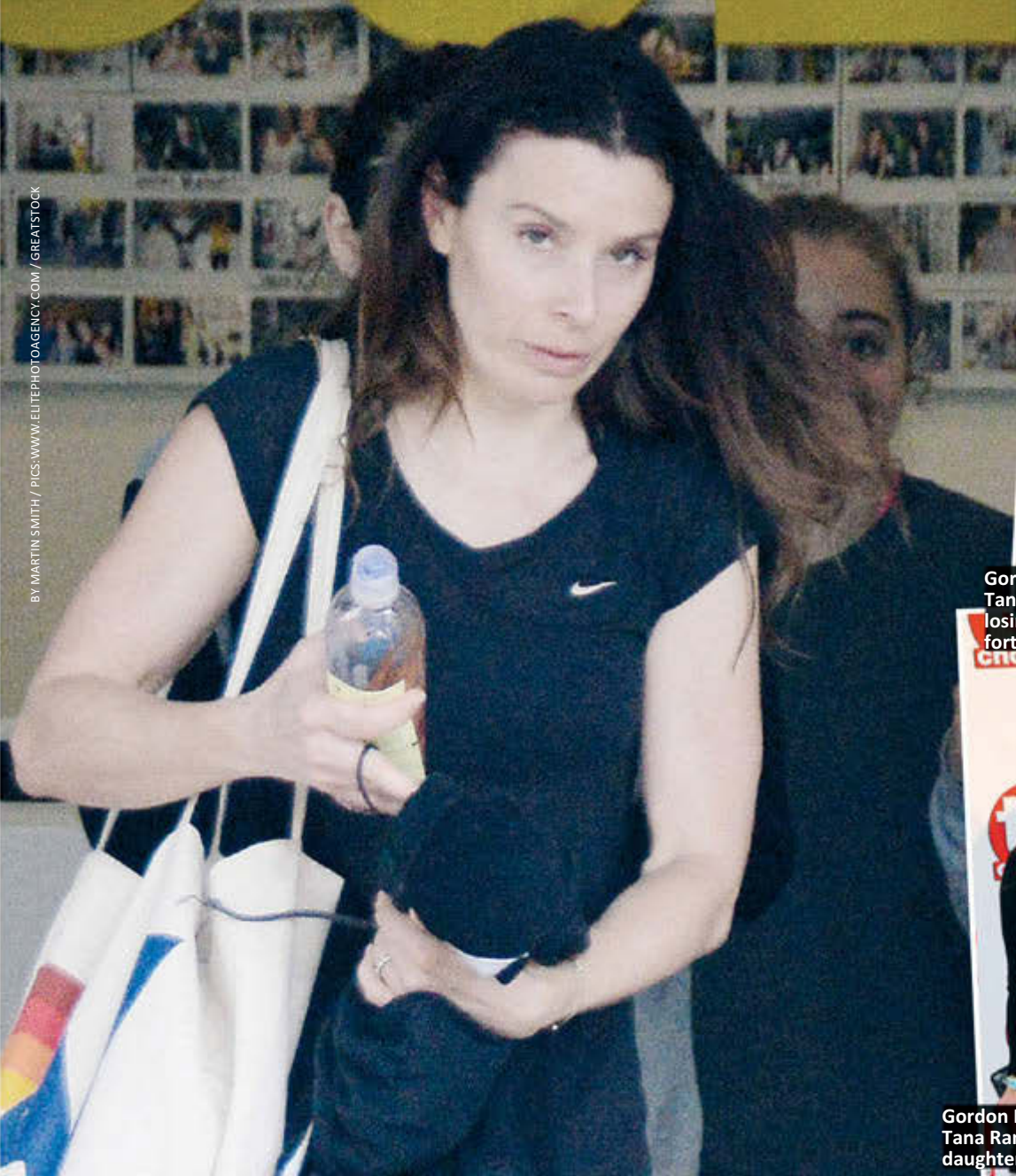


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Gordon keeps wife Tana happy to avoid losing half of his fortune



Gordon Ramsay, wife Tana Ramsay and daughter Matilda

# Hell Hath No Fury Like... Gordon's Wife

YOU think **Gordon Ramsay** is scary? Meet the woman who scares him!

**I**T'S hell at home for Gordon Ramsay. The foulmouthed TV chef, who is famous for his tantrums, is terrified of his wife, Tana! "He's completely under the thumb," dishes a friend of the *Kitchen Nightmares* host. "Tana bosses him around all the time. And she's not afraid of his temper – far from it. She gives as good as she gets and they have had some very ugly fights... Once they even smashed several plates as things got completely out of hand. Gordon was having to duck out the way to avoid getting hit. And another time the screaming was so loud that neighbours almost called the cops because they thought they were going to kill each other!" No wonder the henpecked 48-year-old British chef takes his frustrations out on hapless contestants on his TV shows! "Gordon's tirades are an outlet for all the frustrations he feels at home," declares the friend. The pair, who wed in 1996, have four kids together – Megan, Matilda, and twins Jack and Holly, and, like their good friends, David and Victoria Beckham, they split their time between London and Los Angeles.

Tana, 40, who used to be a Montessori teacher, has piggybacked on her husband's celebrity status in the UK, appearing on food shows and having her own cook books published. But their marriage hit trouble in December 2008 when 'professional mistress' Sue Symonds – who claimed to be the other woman in the life of married bestselling author Jeffrey Archer – claimed she'd had a seven-year affair with Gordon. In fact, there are even rumours that she videotaped some of their bedroom romps. Worse still, the sexy blonde says that Gordon had at least two other lovers while he was seeing her and purportedly happily married to Tana. "Publicly, Gordon denied everything, but it caused huge problems behind closed doors," says the source. "Tana was furious, of course, and kicked him out for a few weeks. But Gordon begged and pleaded and grovelled and, eventually, she allowed him back. Although the trust was gone, Tana didn't want to break up their home – especially because of their four young children. But she has been watching him like a hawk ever since. And besides, being married

to Gordon has its benefits, as she's discovered with all the work that comes her way because she's married to a big-name celebrity." But, explains the insider, she has warned the celeb chef that any more funny business, and she'll take him to the cleaners! And Ramsay knows she means it. If the pair divorce, Tana will be in line for half his R1.4-billion fortune! "No wonder Gordon treats her like his princess, even when she's hurling abuse – and other things – at him! She's got him running around after her like crazy," says the source. "It's quite comical really. Gordon just sucks up the abuse like a sponge and does whatever Tana tells him. He's forever buying her flowers, jewellery – everything. He even brings her breakfast in bed and gets all the kids up and off to school, so she can get more beauty sleep. Gordon may be the meanest mouth on TV, but at home he's like a pussycat. And he knows that if Tana ever catches him cheating, it's going to be curtains for their marriage – and he'll be R700-million poorer!"





# Who will take the honours this year?

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At Home With

# Dianna Agron

**A** MERICAN actress Dianna Agron invites us into her stylish and uniquely decorated home. The star, best known for her role in *Glee*, has recently renovated the patio area, a place where she loves to spend special times with her friends.





“I wanted there to be many options. A place to lounge in the sun, a dinning table for eating, painting – whatever we needed.”



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**TIP**  
THE colour blue  
evokes feelings of  
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patio area. Add a splash of  
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IT seems yet another famous couple is facing the end of their fairytale.

BY PEARL MPHUTHI

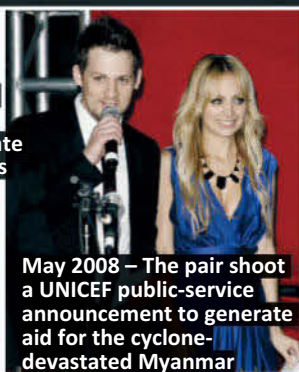
**T**HEIR relationship is on the rocks and it just might be Splitsville for Joel Madden and Nicole Richie. The last time the couple was even spotted together was weeks ago, when they were celebrating Joel and his twin Benji's 36th birthday in Los Angeles, where they were joined by Benji's wife, actress Cameron Diaz. Week's later, however, and 33-year-old Nicole was seen house-hunting in Beverly Hills without Joel and, even more ominous, without her wedding ring. A source close to the pair said, "Nicole and Joel are at odds over everything. They're on the brink of divorce." It's rumoured the couple, who've been married for five years, spend time apart and that when they are together, all hell breaks loose. "They've been spending more time apart because all they do is fight when they're together. Nicole can be very forceful when she doesn't get her way, and Joel doesn't respond well to that." The insider continued to disclose that the pair is on civil terms only for the sake of their two kids. "If it wasn't for the kids, they'd be divorced already. Nicole's trying to hang on for their sake, but she's at her breaking point."

# Is This The End For Joel And Nicole?

## NICOLE AND JOEL'S RELATIONSHIP TIMELINE



January 2008 – Daughter Harlow Winter Kate Madden is born



May 2008 – The pair shoot a UNICEF public-service announcement to generate aid for the cyclone-devastated Myanmar



September 2009 – Son Sparrow James Midnight Madden is born



December 2010 – Joel and Nicole say 'I Do'



April 2015 – After five years of marriage, the couple is on the verge of separation

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# Cool Stuff

BY LETITIA HEROLD



Patrick Stewart and his Apple

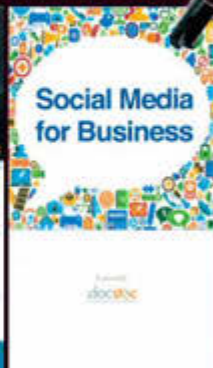
## Battery Windup

THE Ampware CrankCase has a pop-out handle, which is used to physically recharge a phone's battery when you are out and about so your phone never runs out of battery life. The more you crank the handle, the more power you give to your device. One minute of turning the handle will get you 40 minutes of battery life for your Smartphone and 20 minutes for your tablet.

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### Social Media For Business: Free, iStore

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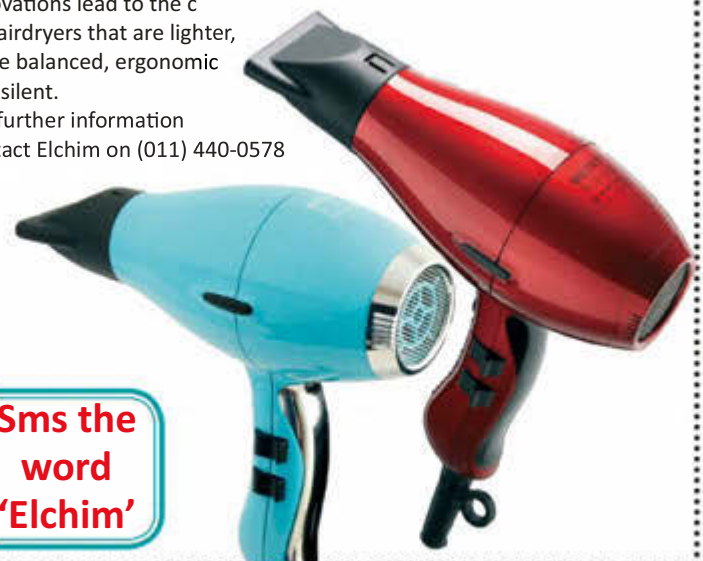
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## Zayn Thanks One Direction

**ZAYN MALIK** left girls worldwide devastated when he announced his departure from boy band One Direction recently. But there seems to be no hard feelings, at least on his part. The singer recently thanked One Direction in a heartwarming speech at the Asian Awards – his first appearance since leaving the band. Sporting a newly shaved hairstyle and a new nose ring, the 22-year-old pop star, was honoured for Outstanding Achievement in Music at the annual event, now in its fifth year. "I'd like to thank my mum and dad for making me Asian," he said in his acceptance speech, drawing laughs. "I'd also like to take this moment to thank four of the best guys that I ever met whilst being in the band and doing all the amazing things that I did. Some of the things that we did will stay with me for the rest of my life. Here's to the future." **Simon Cowell**, who helped form One Direction on *The X Factor UK* in 2010, recently spoke on *The Late Late Show* about Zayn's departure and the band's future. The 55-year-old told host **James Corden** that he tried to persuade the singer to 'stay around a bit longer' – "Something in him said, 'No, I've had enough'." he explains. Zayn is expected to launch a solo career, although he has not announced one officially. Says **Simon**, "He's a fantastic singer....He's got to get his head together a little bit. He needs some time on his own, as he said, to be a normal 22-year-old, which he's going to have."



## Selena Responds To Fat-Shamers

SO she's looking a little curvier these days, but that's only because she was just a little girl before. Turning into one va voom woman, **Selena Gomez** is getting heads spinning these days – especially after having recently axed the **Biebs**. But the main topic of conversation when it comes to the star seems to be her fat-shamers, who emerged after recent photos of her in a bikini were released. Having been in Mexico with a few friends, including record producer **Hit-Boy**, the star looked happy – and tanned – but some of her fans were not as happy apparently, throwing



## Has Sugar Bear's Brother Gone Missing?

WELL, not really. While reports surfaced recently that **Sugar Bear's** brother had disappeared, it seems he was actually just avoiding the family! Brother **Billy** says he doesn't know what all the fuss was about – he just didn't feel like talking to **Mama June** or **Sugar Bear**. So **Billy** is alive and well, despite having had a missing persons police report filed because he hadn't been seen or heard from for days. According to reports, his family was especially worried because **Billy** was going through hard times – he had been unable to find a job and was in the middle of a contentious breakup with his baby mama, who supposedly was refusing to allow him to see his kids. But **Billy** resurfaced and doesn't understand all the fuss. According to him, he was just working with a friend and didn't feel like returning phone calls or texts from them.



## Butt Injections For Kylie?

SO she's denied the plastic surgery on her face, claiming she changes her look with make-up. But is it true that **Kylie Jenner** has had butt implants to look like sister **Kim Kardashian**? While there's no denying the fact **Kylie** is a little **Kim** in every way, we have noticed that the one thing not staying little over the last couple of months is her behind. A source has said that the 17-year-old has definitely upgraded her booty and 'recently underwent her first round of butt injections'. Sources also reveal that **Kylie's** boyfriend, **Tyga**, is a big fan of **Kim's** ridiculous curves, so it seems **Kylie** has caved into sculpting her body with the help of some surgery. "She's thrilled with the results and isn't holding back from showing it off," says the source.







BY SUZY  
MUKENDI



Navy Dress:  
R520, Foschini



Green Dress:  
R499, By Rare  
London, Zando



Draped  
Dress:  
R699,  
By City  
Goddess,  
Zando



Crocodile  
Print Dress:  
R3 200,  
Dusud

# MATRIC DANCE

## *Edition*

MOST teens look forward to their Matric dance – it's an excuse to go all-out and look like you're off to the Oscars!

**M**ATRIC dance fever is in the air, so we thought we'd share with you some of the trendiest dresses and accessories, so you'll be smiling rather than stressing on the day.

Can you believe there was a time when you could only have one type of style for your Matric dance, like ball gown cuts and heavy frills that weren't your style at all? Thank goodness for fashion changing! So instead of layers of fabric, you have the choice of wearing something different, which will have you red-carpet ready, and feeling comfortable enough to dance the whole night away. So have a look at different styles, and worry about who you'll be taking as a date, not what you'll be wearing.



Brown Gathered Dress With Zip  
Detail: R2 995, Gavin Rajah



Black Frill  
Dress:  
R620, A-List





**Gigi Hadid**

## GLAM IT UP

BEFORE even thinking of who you're going to take as a partner, it's important to first find the perfect dress. What other chance do you have to get glammed-up at school? But finding a dress can be super stressful and who needs that? Whether you're petite, pear-shaped or tall – you name it – we have glamorous and stylish looks for everyone.



**Nude Pink Maxi Dress:**  
R1 300, Ilan



**Pink And Black Lace Bodycon:**  
R799, By AX Paris, Zando

**Gold Chain Necklace:**  
R199, Accessorize



**Flower Studs:**  
R49.95, Woolworths

**Tassel Necklace:**  
R180, Woolworths



**Diamanté Statement Bracelet:**  
R280, Zuri



**Gold Statement Diamanté Earrings:**  
R190, Zuri

**Antique Cream Bracelet:** R150, Zuri



**Tan Heels:** R320, Truworths

**Black And Gold Heels:** Price On Request, River Island



**Cut-Out Heels:** R599, By Zoom, Zando



**Leaf Heels:** R1 190, Errol Arendz



**Black Lace Heels:** R699, By Daniella Michelle, Zando



**Block Heels:** R599, Woolworths

## SHOES

EVERY outfit has shoes accompanying it, and in this case every dress is accompanied by a pair of fabulous show-stopping heels! There are many options when picking out the perfect shoes to match your dress. Have a look at these gorgeous heels that will have you walking over everyone's jaw.





**Blue Dress With Neck Detail:** R799, Sissy Boy



**White Studded Bodycon:** R1 100, Guess



**Black Lace Dress:** R599, By City Goddess, Zando



**High Neck Dress:** R775, BiBi Rouge



**Blue And Black Diamanté Necklace:** R390, Zuri



**Tassel Earrings:** R79.95, Woolworths



**Woven Necklace:** R280, Zuri



**Diamanté Cuff:** R280, Zuri



**Red Bracelets:** R130, Zuri



**Buckle Bangle:** R160, Zuri



**Rings:** R99.95, Woolworths



## JEWELLERY

ONCE you've chosen the dress, it's time to consider your jewellery. Depending on the colour of dress, you might have to go for silver or gold. But make sure that it balances out with the dress worn. Having too much going on will make you look like a Christmas tree – and Christmas is still a long way away!

# SOMETHING FOR

*The Guys*



**Velvet Blazer:** R999, Markham

**Red Tie:** R480, Pringle of Scotland



**Waistcoat:** R399, Markham



**Printed Bow tie:** R149, By CSQUARED, Zando

**High Tops Slip On Shoes:** R999, Woolworths





# ONCE UPON *A Fairytale*

STYLIST: SUZY MUKENDI  
PHOTOGRAPHER: TAMIKA MILLER

**M**ATRIC DANCE season is here! Besides the upcoming final examinations, we all know that the matric dance is the most significant event of your high school life. Some of you, we bet, have even been planning what to wear since grade nine! Others, however, are probably still a

little lost, and if you're one of those, we're here to help you along. One of the most important things is to make sure that whatever you choose, it's comfortable. Yes, looking out-of-this-world matters, but what's the use in suffering the night away in an ill-fitting ensemble? So get something that's fit for you as well as a fairytale.

## TIP

METALLIC mixes well with turquoise – silver brings out the colour's undertone and gold gives off a rich, dramatic effect.

MEGAN  
Earrings: R269, Accessorize  
Dress: R4 595, Amanda Ferri  
Bangles: R249, Accessorize





## TIP

THE great thing about leopard print is that it works for any look you want. For your matric dance, pair leopard print with gold and a red clutch.

IMAN  
Necklace: R299,  
Accessorize  
Ballgown: R3 500,  
To Hire: R1 000,  
(Plus R500 Deposit),  
Cinderella's  
Cuff: R140,  
Tessa Design

Earrings: R140,  
Tessa Design  
Dress: R4 500, To  
Hire: R1 000 (Plus  
R500 Deposit)  
Cinderella's  
Ring: R29.99, Mr  
Price

Earrings: R190, Tessa Design  
Dress: R3 999, Hire: R1 000 (plus  
a R500 deposit), Cinderella's  
Bangles (Set): R249, Accessorize  
Midi Rings: Model's Own





Head Chain: R39.99, Mr Price  
Earrings: R140, Tessa Design  
Rings: R29.99, Mr Price  
Dress: R1 950, Hire: R550,  
(Plus R300 Deposit), Cinderella's  
Metallic Tattoos:  
Single Sheet: R120  
Double Sheet: R200, House Of AN –  
Image Emporium

Head Chain: R39.99,  
Mr Price  
Earrings: R119, Accessorize  
Dress: R450,  
Dashing Fashion  
Metallic Tattoos: Single  
Sheet: R120  
Double Sheet: R200, House  
Of AN – Image Emporium





Earrings: R199,  
Accessorize  
Dress: R4 595,  
Amanda Ferri  
Cuff: R160,  
Tessa Designs

Earrings: R120, Tessa  
Design  
Choker: R199, Tessa  
Design  
Dress: R3 500,  
Hire: R1 000, (Plus  
R500 Deposit),  
Cinderella's



# TIP

IF you're going for royal blue and wondering what jewellery to wear with it, think minimalism. Simple gold or silver jewellery adds *just* the right touch of shimmer.

Earrings: R180, Tessa Design  
Dress: R3 295, Amanda Ferri  
Bangles: R349, Accessorize

Hoops: R180, Tessa Design  
Dress: R800, Amanda Ferri  
Cuff: R290, Tessa Design  
Midi Rings (Pack): R49.99, Mr Price  
Heels: Model's Own



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# HOT DATE

GET ready to party!

**S**o you finally got your dream date for the Matric farewell, well, now it's time to think about the perfect dress, accessories, make-up and beauty routine. This is a day that you have probably been planning since first starting high school, but getting ready for the farewell as a girl is complicated. Guys rent a tux, buy a corsage and deal with only the minimum prep work. Girls on the other hand have to deal with make-up and hair issues, getting the right accessories, prepping their skin – and that's only the beginning! In fact, there is so much to do that it can be overwhelming and it's really easy to forget about something really important. That's where we come in. These tips will help get you through the night stress-free, so you can have a great time without worrying about your appearance – because you'll look fabulous, of course!

**Beauty**

BY CARLI PRINSLOO

Expert Liss Ultime Masque (200ml): R283, L'Oreal



Before Having A Date Mask: R54.99, By Cettua, Clicks



Smoky Poppy Massage Oil: R130, The Body Shop



Moisturising Skin Lotion: R74.95, Tantol



Tinted Self Tan Mousse: R699, Vita Liberata



## PREP TIME

Jessica Alba

**E**VERYONE needs some time before a big day to get ready for the festivities. Celebs spend months getting ready for the Academy Awards and Grammys, so why shouldn't you take the time to make sure you look your absolute best for your night of glam?

### Three Months To Go:

START testing out self-tanners and develop a routine that gives you the colour you want. The best way to get an even tan is to exfoliate before applying the product. Get your skincare routine sorted. If you see that your skin isn't in the best shape, change your regime or consult a dermatologist.

### Two Months To Go:

BEGIN using body oil or lotion after

every shower for super soft skin; pick up a teeth-whitening product (or see your dentist for a professional treatment).

### A Month To Go:

IF you are having your hair, make-up and nails done by a professional, now is the time to book the appointments. Booking early will ensure that you get the most convenient timeslot. Ensure that the make-up artist and hairstylist is someone that you admire and trust. If you can, book a trial session so that you aren't distracted by a less-than-desirable look on the day of the farewell. Doing your own hair and make-up? Start getting the right products and experimenting with different looks.

### Two Weeks To Go:

SPLURGE on eyebrow grooming.

Then maintain the shape by tweezing strays. Make sure to have a conservative approach, so you don't end up with thin (or nonexistent!) eyebrows.

### A Week To Go:

BOOK a spa day with friends or your mom to de-stress. Get a pedi and mani or do it yourself or with friends.

### A Day To Go:

PAMPER your hair with a deep conditioning treatment to boost shine. A nourishing and gentle facial mask will calm and hydrate skin. Just make sure that it's a mask that you have used before, so there are no drastic changes in your skin.

### 12 Hours To Go:

GET a good night's sleep to avoid looking puffy and drink water to keep your skin hydrated.

Kiersey Clemons



# THE MAKE-UP

YOUR goal should be make-up that is pretty, matches your dress and is not overdone.

Adrienne Bailon



## Flushed Cheeks

CREAM blush looks seamless over foundation and it blends into skin better than powder does. If you have dark skin, go for a reddish shade. Pink tones should be used for lighter skin.

## Glowing Skin

PERFECT skin starts with a primer. This fills in any lines to create a smooth surface. Then comes your foundation, and only after that you can add dimension and make your skin glow. Blush and bronzer is your arsenal. They instantly brighten-up your face and give you a radiant, healthy appearance.

## Lip-Coloured Lips

a light-handed approach. Don't go for blood-red lips, but rather just a hint or rosiness. Fill in your lips with a pencil that is slightly darker than your natural lip colour. This way you have a base and won't feel compelled to reapply lipstick after eating. Follow with a sheer, glossy lip colour. Especially if your eye make-up is dark, a light lip looks glamorous.

## Seductive Smoky Eyes

SMUDGY grey eye shadow looks soft and romantic. Define the upper lashes with a dark pencil – chocolate for fair skin and charcoal or black for dark skin. Smudge this line a little, then dust a grey shadow on top, and finish with mascara or falsies.

Shay Mitchell



Meghan Trainor



## YOUR BEAUTY BAG



Soo Glow! Cream To Powder Highlighter: R55, Essence

Major Lash Mascara: R230, Stila

Loose Powder: R325, MUD Cosmetics

Eye Shadow In Diesel: R195, MAC Cosmetics

Colorstay Combo Foundation: R259.95, Revlon

Face Finitly All Day Primer: R185, By Max Factor, Clicks

Lip Pencil In Timber: R125, Bodyography



# THE HAIR

Iggy Azalea

WHICHEVER hairstyle you choose to fit your dream dress, there are three things that are non-negotiable: Your hair should be soft, shiny and not too neat.

## Break Out In Curls

WORK a fist-sized amount of lightweight mousse into damp hair from roots to mid-lengths. Flip your head upside down and blow-dry. When your hair is *this* close to being dry, flip it back and finish drying with a round brush. Divide your hair into five sections, then lift it straight up and place a large roller behind the ends, winding down to the scalp. Remove the rollers after half an hour and neaten your curls with your fingers.

## Wet And Sleek

EVEN slicked-back hair isn't completely smooth: it also has a bit of an edge – just look at **Joan Smalls**. Comb your hair back while it's still damp, then use gel over it all the way to the nape of the neck. Don't be shy! Leave the ends as is. When it's dry, you'll be left with that slicked-back look.

Joan Smalls

Curls & Waves Firm Hold Curl Cream: R119.95, By Trevor Sorbie, Dis-Chem

Blow Styling Paddle Brush: R330, Tangle Teezer

Wet Look Gel: R259 TIGI



Rihanna

## Mess It Up

THE sexiest up-styles are not neat. A ponytail, bun, knot or braid is a lot more seductive if it looks easy and touchable. Pull a few strands forward, rough up the crown, tuck a wayward piece behind your ear or run your hands from the back of your head to the hairline to encourage fly-aways. Even **Rihanna's** bun is not perfectly structured.

## Make Waves

CELEB-WORTHY curls are not that difficult to achieve. Start by spritzing damp hair with thickening spray and distributing it evenly with a wide-tooth comb. Part your hair in the middle and scrunch the ends as you blow-dry. If you have naturally curly hair (lucky you!) skip the scrunching and just dry your hair with a paddle brush. When your hair is almost dry, twist it into a bun at ear-level, and secure with pins. Then use the diffuser to dry on your whole head for a few minutes. Leave the bun in for 15 minutes more and when you remove it, gently run your fingers through. Set the waves with hairspray.



Zendaya Coleman

# THE FRAGRANCE

KEEP these tips in mind when choosing your scent for the big night.

- IF you let a little time pass before applying your fragrance, the bright, fresh top notes dissipate and reveal a warmer, sexier, longer-lasting scent underneath, so spray 30 minutes before the event begins.
- IF your fragrance is anything other than clear, the perfume will stain your dress, so don't put it on right after spritzing.
- SPRAY the nape of your neck, just below your hairline.
- A SPRITZ on the back of each knee lasts the whole night.
- FOR a sexier scent, avoid citrus fragrances just for one night. Choose scents from the spicy oriental family for a seductive feel. Scents that have a combination of woods, white flowers, vanilla and musk are elegant and sexy, but not overpowering.
- ONE spritz onto your hairbrush will leave your hair with a light and lovely scent. Whenever you flick or rearrange your locks, a pleasant smell will be released to those around you. Easy way to be more attractive!

Angel Eau de Parfum Spray: R995, Thierry Mugler



Sexy Amber: R720, Michael Kors



DNA4 Eau de Toilet: R129, Gosh Cosmetics





# CLUTCH-BAG CRUCIALS

FIVE things to bring in your clutch.

**I**T'S good to be prepared, especially on a night as important as this. No doubt your dress is perfect, so make sure you have the beauty essentials to match with our handy edit. No make-up mishaps here!

**Lip Top Up:** DON'T forget to check your lipstick after welcome drinks!

**A Piece Of Double-Sided Tape:** THIS will become your BFF if you need anything to stay in place all night!

**Plasters:** PERFECT in the event that your shoes give you blisters!

**Pins:** THESE make it easy to secure out-of-place strands, and your friends will thank you if they happen to need one!

**Blotting Paper:** SKIP the powder and dab oily areas with one of these.

**Small Perfume:** A MINI sample of your perfume for the evening will keep you smelling fresh.

Olivia Culpo

# NAIL IT

THE perfect Matric farewell is right at your fingertips! Match your dress to these inspirational colours to steal the spotlight on your big night.

**Red Albert**

Nail Polish In St James: R115, By Nails Inc, Edgars

**Pretty Pastels**

Megalast Salon Nail Colour in Candy-licious: R49.95, By Wet 'n Wild, Clicks

**Cute And Classic:**

Nail Polish In Cashmere Bathrobe: R99.95, Essie

**Shimmer & Shine:**

In If The Slipper Fits: R123, Morgan Taylor

**Bohemian Beauty**

Rubi Nail Varnish: R49, Cotton On

YOUR beauty questions solved.

Beauty  
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**MY mascara keeps running and my eyeliner smudges. How can I keep these in check?**

USE a cotton bud to clean mascara from around the eyes, and concealer to touch up the area, then follow with a setting powder. Avoid smudges altogether by using waterproof products.

**WHEN out partying my lipstick always fades - what do I do?**

THIS can be sorted by layering lip colour. Start with a lip pencil to cover the entire lip, then follow with a long wearing lipstick and top it off with a gloss.

**HELP! A spot has popped up the morning of an important day!**

COVER the affected area with a tiny bit of green concealer and a brush. Blend it in with a sponge. Dab a bit of powder over it to keep it intact for the night.

**WHAT can I do to keep my make-up from looking cakey?**

USE a damp make-up sponge to smooth the foundation out. It will also remove any excess make-up. There you go - good as r

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# Celeb Fitness

**D**OUTZEN may be a mother of two, but that shows no sign of meddling with her supermodel physique.

## Get Doutzen Kroes' Gorgeous Booty

**HERE** are tips to keep fit like this supermodel:

**MAKE IT A LIFESTYLE:** Doutzen was an active child who would speed-skate and ride bikes for sport.

**STAY HEALTHY WHEN PREGNANT:** Doutzen maintains that while the odd craving is fine, pregnancy is a time to eat nutritiously, for the sake of your baby. She steered clear of processed foods and sugar throughout both her pregnancies.

**EXERCISE SAFELY:** The star kept up her leg and butt training routines throughout her pregnancies, but she abandoned exercise for the few months after each baby was born. She maintains that the abs need time to heal, and taking time off is important for a full recovery.

**TRAIN TOWARDS YOUR IDEAL BODY:** Doutzen favours the look of ballet dancers and Pilates regulars, so those are the exercise disciplines she undertakes. Three sessions a week is what keeps the supermodel runway-ready.

**GO GREEN:** The star makes healthy green fruit and veggie shakes for her family each morning, and opts for organic foods wherever possible.

**INCLUDE** these three moves in your workout for a killer booty and legs like **Doutzen's**:

### Bridge With Diagonal Leg Extension:

LIE on your back with your feet holding your body off the ground in a straight line. Lift one foot off the ground, tuck it under your raised knee, then stretch it out in the air in the opposite direction. Aim for three sets of 10-15 reps with each leg.



### Elevated Lunges:

**STAND** with one foot out in front of you and the other resting behind you on an elevated surface. With hands on hips, sink into a lunge, being careful that your front knee doesn't extend past your toes. Pause for a moment then return to your starting position. Aim for three sets of 10-15 reps with each leg.

### Lateral Leg Swings:

**START** on all fours, and extend one foot out to the side. Keeping your position solid, lift the extended leg up into the air in a straight line. When parallel to the ground, pause for a moment then lower back down. Aim for the three sets of 10-15 reps with each leg.



Doutzen  
Kroes

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BY ANGELA BEKIARIS

GET the lowdown on this steamy yoga option.

# HOTPOD YOGA

## In SA

**H**OTPOD YOGA founder, Max Henderson, has brought it to South Africa due to popular demand. But what is it all about? Max explains...

### Tell us a bit about Hotpod Yoga?

Hotpod Yoga was launched in January 2013 in London by me and my co-founder Nick. We've now got operations across the UK and Europe and have just launched our first South African locations this month in Johannesburg, Midrand and Pretoria. The concept has two distinguishing features:

**Our Pods:** We're the first (and only) people to have developed portable hot yoga studios. Our inflatable pods (for which we have international patents filed), are the perfect environment in which to practice hot yoga – a cocoon-like space that takes you a million miles from the world outside. It's fitted with perfect 37-degree heat, humidity, soothing lighting and great music.

**Our Approach:** We're all about accessibility. We've got a firm belief that yoga's for everyone – and have done a pretty good job getting a lot of people into yoga who'd have never done it before. We put many, many of years of yoga tradition into a few powerful and simple principles – delivering classes in an open, down-to-earth and relaxed manner. We run classes for the public in all our locations but also work with large corporates (running in-office programmes) and pro sports teams.

### Is it similar to Bikram Yoga?

There are obvious similarities, but also some key differences. While both are based around the same fundamental premise – yoga in a heated environment – we do it for the fantastic health benefits, the impact it has on a person's yoga practice and also the added accessibility it brings (for stiff people or first-timers, it's a great way to ease the body into the practice). Unlike Bikram, our classes are housed in inflatable, heated studios – our very own inventions. It's an entirely unique experience based on innovation and some pretty exceptional engineering and design. It's a space designed for (and only for) yoga. Also, our classes are 37 degrees, where Bikram is 42 degrees.

### Can anyone do it?

Yes! We work with all sorts: 16 to 65-year-olds, guys and girls, fitness phobes and gym nuts.

### Many feel heated studios are not healthy: what's your take on this?

We've never seen any evidence of negative health impacts, that's for sure. Yes, you absolutely need to be sensible about it – replenish the body after the class, rehydrate and only do what your body says you can do. We're a bit cooler than other hot studios, so are a bit more gentle on the body. We also take a very non-boot-camp approach – no one is forced to do anything. If you want to or have to lie down for half the class, you're more than welcome to.

### Can you give us five benefits of Hotpod Yoga?

- \* It's great for overall muscle condition (both flexibility and strength).
- \* It's genuine mental retreat from the stresses of everyday life.
- \* It's a good cardio workout (burning calories and aiding weight-loss)
- \* It's great for detoxing and clearing skin and pores.
- \* It's great for a personal challenge (to see yourself improve and grow into the practice gradually).

### Share some safety tips for people trying Hotpod Yoga.

Hydrate pre- and post-class. Only do what your body's comfortable with – don't push yourself too hard. Yoga is a gradual process, not a race. Take it easy, relax and enjoy.

### Are you afraid this could just be a new fitness trend?

Yoga's been around for a very long time, and is here to stay. All we're doing is delivering it to many in a truly accessible way – we're innovative and forward-thinking, but we're rooted on some pretty strong foundations. So, in short, no, we're not too scared of that.

### Get A Free Class!

Everyone gets one free tester class, so log on to [www.hotpod yoga.com](http://www.hotpod yoga.com) and book yourself in!

### Celeb HPY Addicts

Did you know **Lady Gaga** and **Andy Murray** are hooked on Hotpod Yoga?



HPY takes place in 37 degree heat.



Hotpod Yoga founder Max Henderson



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Lady Gaga



Andy Murray

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PLAYING 'doctor doctor' doesn't mean you've got a clean bill of health! Make sure you follow these tips!

BY ANGELA BEKIARIS

## SOME MORE Doctor's Orders

WE shared some great health tips as given by paediatrician **Dr Jim Sears** on TV show *The Doctors* last week. These tips, according to him, won't cost you a cent! We share four more for you this week:

- \* **Don't forget to laugh:** Studies show laughter relieves stress and increases the effectiveness of your immune system.
- \* **Get steamed:** Enjoy a free sauna in your shower by turning up the heat to a comfortable temperature and enjoying the steam it produces.

Steam is known to relieve joint and muscle tension, as well as help your immune system.

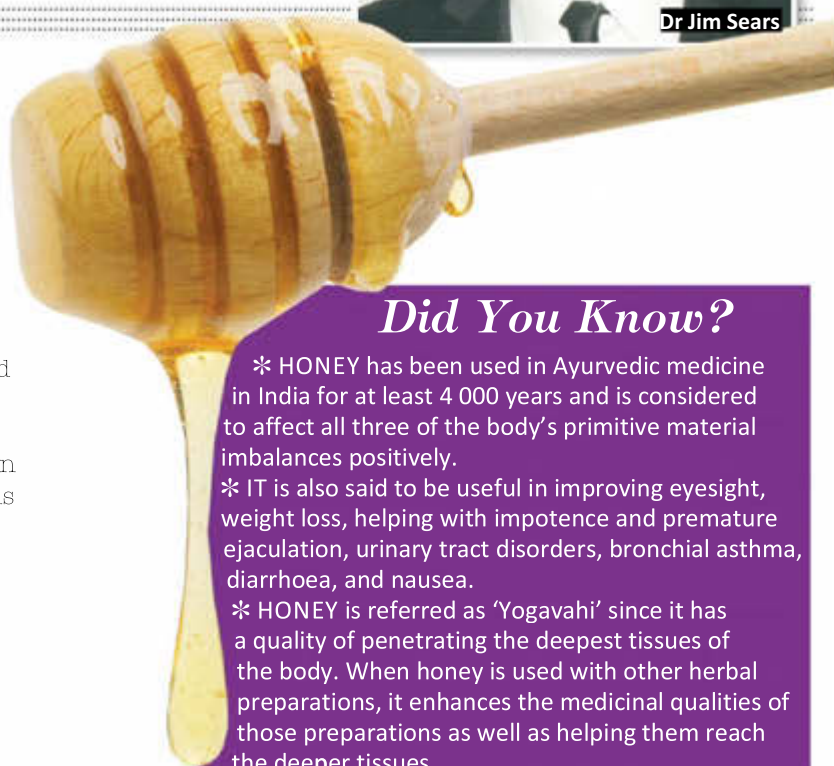
- \* **Stretch it out:** Stretching your muscles improves circulation, increases flexibility and reduces your chances of getting injured.
- \* **Go to bed early:** Studies show people who are sleep-deprived can gain an average of over a kilogram in just 11 days. Most people require seven hours of sleep for a good night's rest.



Dr Jim Sears

## 9 Health Benefits Of Honey

1. Some studies have shown that it may help in the prevention of cancer and heart disease.
2. Honey has also been linked to the reduction of ulcers and other gastrointestinal disorders.
3. It's an anti-bacterial and anti-fungal substance.
4. There has been a correlation between the ingestion of honey and athletic performance.
5. It's great for easing throat irritation and coughs.
6. Some studies suggest honey can help with blood sugar regulation
7. Honey has been linked to the faster healing of wounds and burns
8. It's a probiotic.
9. Honey can help maintain healthy skin.



### Did You Know?

- \* HONEY has been used in Ayurvedic medicine in India for at least 4 000 years and is considered to affect all three of the body's primitive material imbalances positively.
- \* IT is also said to be useful in improving eyesight, weight loss, helping with impotence and premature ejaculation, urinary tract disorders, bronchial asthma, diarrhoea, and nausea.
- \* HONEY is referred to as 'Yogavahi' since it has a quality of penetrating the deepest tissues of the body. When honey is used with other herbal preparations, it enhances the medicinal qualities of those preparations as well as helping them reach the deeper tissues.

## Calcium For Lactose & Vegans

IF you're lactose intolerant or a vegan it can be hard to get enough calcium. All4Women.co.za share some ways you can get what you need without the dairy.

1. Eat your beans and lentils – they are high in calcium and protein, making them excellent for vegans.
2. Opt for calcium-fortified food – soya milk, almond milk, rice milk, orange juice, cranberry juice, breakfast cereals and breakfast bars are available at several supermarkets and health shops.
3. Go for greens – spinach, broccoli, kale and other dark green leafy vegetables are high in calcium, providing about 100mg of calcium per serving.
4. Eat your oats – one cup of cooked oats provides about 150mg of calcium.
5. Yummy salmon (obviously not for vegans) – It's not only a great source of protein and omega-3 fatty acids, but it's also a great source of calcium.
6. Have your nuts – almonds, hazelnuts, Brazil nuts and walnuts are all high in calcium.



**TIP**  
ONE HUNDRED grams of Brazil nuts contains 160mg of calcium.

## Simple Choices For Lasting Weight Loss

ALL4WOMEN.CO.ZA shared some fabulous tips:

1. Choose to start every day well – how you start the day has a serious impact on how you will finish it. It affects your energy levels, mood, stress levels and sense of wellbeing.
2. Choose to say 'No thanks' – if you didn't plan to eat it, DON'T.
3. Choose to take a break – stand up and stretch out your body.
4. Don't let yourself succumb to the evening temptations – eat a fruit for dessert and relax by doing something to keep your mind busy.
5. Choose to do it all again tomorrow – successful weight loss comes from making good choices over and over again.

### TIP

CUT down on soft drinks – they raise the phosphate level in your blood, thus preventing calcium absorption; and get some sun: sunlight boosts your vitamin D levels and will help your body absorb calcium.



## MENTAL & SOCIAL Benefits Of Jogging



Gwen Stefani enjoys a morning jog

### Did You Know?

JOGGING fights depression, stress and insomnia while sharpening mental acuity, and improving overall muscle tone and appearance.

JOGGING isn't just about the kilos lost and muscle toned. Euphoria, friendship, happiness and increased confidence from an improved body image are also benefits.

And experts say you could notice the improvements almost immediately.

Join a running group, jog with a friend or with the company of your favourite tunes on your iPod.

### Did You Know?

BALLROOM dancing, an activity with both physical and mental demands, has had a higher impact on cognitive functioning over exercise or mental tasks alone, indicating that the best brain health workouts involve those that integrate different parts of the brain such as co-ordination, rhythm, and strategy.

## De-stress Like A Celeb



Sandra Bullock

\* **Sandra Bullock:** When times get tough, the tough get going – and for **Sandra Bullock** that means escaping to her sanctuary nestled in the plains of Texas. "On my ranch I can watch the grass grow, see friends and revel in just doing nothing," says the actress.

\* **Eva Longoria:** The actress, cookbook author and co-founder of the Hollywood restaurant, Beso, finds peace in the kitchen. "Some people find entertaining stressful, but it is therapeutic for me," she's said. "I find it relaxing."

\* **Gwen Stefani:** The Grammy-winner enjoys meditating to relax. "Meditation is my thing. But I'm not going to lie: Sometimes I go into my closet and lock the door so no one can find me."

\* **Jennifer Aniston:** Friends attribute this A-listers' cheery disposition (and newfound sense of calm) to her fiancé, fellow actor **Justin Theroux**.

\* **Demi Moore:** "I like being physical and being out and about," says the star. "I spend a lot of time going to the park or the beach."

\* **Halle Berry:** "I find cleaning very cathartic. If my house is in a mess, my brain is in a mess," the Oscar-winner has revealed. "Whenever I'm having a bad day or have a big decision to make, I'll clean my home, and that helps me work through any problem."

\* **Sharon Osbourne:** *The Talk* co-host admits that she indulges in dark chocolate when feeling stressed.

\* **Kate Winslet:** "I've been taking it religiously; It's brilliant," the Oscar-winner has said of Mexican yam, the root vegetable which is said to reduce stress and balance hormones.

\* **Kathy Griffin:** The comedian apparently tunes into the very same medium that catapulted her to fame – television.

\* **Madonna:** The material girl is such a devoted practitioner of yoga that after a delayed flight once caused her to feel anxious, she got up and started doing it in the aisle.



Eva Longoria



Sharon Osbourne



Madonna



## Colour In To Reduce Stress

IF you thought colouring books were for children, think again. Sources say colouring books for adults actually reduce stress. According to All4Women.co.za, the latest example, *Color Therapy: An Anti-Stress Coloring Book*, is just one of the many used to pass one's time, clear thoughts and de-stress. Colouring books for grown-ups began taking off in France a few years ago and have grown increasingly popular there.

*Color Therapy: An Anti-Stress Coloring Book* is available from Amazon.com



Jennifer Aniston



Kate Winslet



DEAR DOC,  
I HAD a nose job when I was 18 as I had an enormous and embarrassing nose. But now my husband and I are considering having a baby – do I need to discuss the nose situation with him? I'm really worried about having a child with my nose. It made my whole childhood unpleasant.  
Who Nose

#### DEAR WHO NOSE,

YOU do need to talk about your nose. It's the elephant in the room. If your husband doesn't know that you've had plastic surgery (and surely your teen photos are a giveaway) then you need to tell him. Parents are always worried about having perfect children. And it is understandable that you don't want your child to get teased like you were. However, we can't control what features our children inherit – both the 'good' and the 'bad'. Considering all the other terrible diseases and conditions which affect children, an unfortunate nose is probably a minor issue in the grander scheme of things. You could go the route of getting a donor egg, but do you really want to take that gamble?

No person is perfect. Your husband probably has some flaws he also hopes your unborn child doesn't develop. Have the discussion and then consider having a baby one step at a time. There is no point in worrying about something that you simply don't have control over. You need to accept that your child may be born with your nose – but also your smile, laugh, intellect and hair. In most cases, the good really does outweigh the bad.

DEAR DOC,  
MY boss is just a little too friendly. I can handle an occasional flirtatious comment, but I can't avoid his less subtle attempts to ask me out for much longer. Any advice?  
Flirting With Disaster

#### DEAR FLIRTING WITH DISASTER,

YOU are in an awkward predicament. Clearly it's important to get along with your boss, but unwanted attention is difficult to deflect.

Start by trying to tone down the conversation. You may be giving mixed messages by sharing personal information (or allowing him to over-share with you). Keep conversations polite but professional. If necessary, act a little bit dumb when he tries to make a flirtatious remark. Alluding to a boyfriend (real or imaginary) may be required to save yourself from further office embarrassment. It sounds tacky, but dressing down a bit can sometimes help dissuade unwanted attention. It's certainly not your fault that your boss is being inappropriate, but now that he is, it's worth trying all possible non-confrontational avenues.

You may be cornered. Get yourself ready with some stock standard brush-off lines. For example, 'I just don't date in the industry,' or 'I've met someone special.' As impossible as it may sound, try to avoid humiliating your boss in public. In general that's when things get truly ugly. If it continues despite your best attempts you are left with only two real options: To either remove yourself from the situation or file a formal complaint. Don't be afraid to lay a complaint if you think you're being sidelined or discriminated against due to your rebuffs.

DEAR DOC  
I TEND to forget stuff quite easily. Shopping lists, people's names and where I parked my car. Does this mean I've got Alzheimer's?  
Scatterbrained

DEAR SCATTERBRAINED  
MEMORY loss affects everyone to some degree. As you get older you're liable to have a few 'senior' moments along the way. But these lapses should never cripple you from leading a full and productive life. For example, you may forget a person's name, but recall it later in the day. You might misplace your car occasionally.

If you're finding yourself being particularly forgetful, run through a quick checklist. Stress, sleep deprivation, sedating medications, depression, alcohol and other drugs – or just sheer work volume – can all lead to temporary memory lapses. Memory loss could be a sign you need to slow down. If memory loss persists, make sure you do get it checked by your doctor.

# Dear Doc

Dr Karen Koch,  
a general practitioner,  
answers  
your health  
questions.



#### DEAR DOC,

I FIND it really awkward discussing sex with my girlfriend. I don't feel like I should ruin the mood by chatting when we're having sex. I also feel really uncomfortable bringing up the topic at any other time. So how do other people manage it?  
Let's Talk About Sex

#### DEAR LET'S TALK ABOUT SEX,

YOU'RE not alone. Despite how the media may portray it, many people find it very awkward to talk about sex.

We find it difficult to discuss sex for many reasons. Most people feel very vulnerable when opening up to someone about their sexual preferences. Revealing your sexual wants and desires to your partner can be scary, especially when your partner's reaction is not positive, which can make you feel ashamed or humiliated.

You may also be overly concerned about your girlfriend's feelings. But if you can't talk about sex, how are you meant to improve on enjoying each other's company?

We are led to believe that sex is something that comes naturally and we should be instinctively good at it, which just isn't true. How are we supposed to know how to have sex? In reality the key to becoming a good lover is to have good communication with your partner. Talking about sex is the only way to have better sex.

You could start by opening up communication in small ways. For example, telling your girlfriend what you do like that she does already do. This also helps to reassure her that you're attracted to her. The next step in opening up a dialogue is to find out if there's anything you could do to improve your lovemaking.

Accept that it's going to be awkward at first. She is probably as 'in the dark' as you are when it comes to finding ways to talk about sex. Talking about sex while you're having sex is actually a good place to start.

It will get easier with time. You both share a common goal – you both want to satisfy each other in bed. Learning about preferences, boundaries and idiosyncrasies is part of a journey of discovery of both yourself and your partner. It's called intimacy.



EACH week get the lowdown on everything from selfies, social media and skating to surfing, snogging and smoking.

NOT everyone has picture perfect, flawless skin. Even some of the most beautiful celebs battled acne as teens and some are still waging war against pimples and blackheads as adults.

## GET

# Skin Savvy

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**W**HEN singer Katy Perry was a teen she'd sometimes refuse to leave the house because of acne. Alicia Keys is known for constantly struggling with problem skin. Adam Levine, who was voted the sexiest man alive, also battled the big 'A' when he was a kid. Then of course, there is the stunning Cameron Diaz who has also struggled with acne since her teen years and well into her adult years. Cameron has tried many different options from oral medications to topical cream and layers and layers of make-up but she still gets breakouts. Add Rihanna, Jessica Simpson, Victoria Beckham and Kiera Knightly to the mix and you'll soon realise that acne hasn't just picked on you! It also targets the rich and famous, the young and old. The good news is that, for most people, acne goes away almost completely by the time you're out your teens. ALMOST all teens get acne at some point or another, mostly caused by hormonal changes that come with puberty. It happens when an oily substance called sebum clogs pores. Pimples usually pop up on the face, neck, back, chest, and shoulders. Acne isn't a serious health risk, but severe acne can cause permanent scars (which some teens refer to as 'acne craters'). Acne can also affect your self-esteem causing you to feel ashamed and embarrassed.

Rihanna

THERE are four main types of skin woes that affect teens. Whiteheads, which are white dots that are pores impacted with oil and skin covered by skin layers; blackheads, which are black bumps that are impacted pores, in which material pushes out through the follicles (contrary to what many believe the black colour is not from dirt but rather from bacteria, dead skin cells, and matter that react with oxygen); papules, pustules or nodules, which are more serious lesions appearing red and swollen due to inflammation or infection of the tissue around the clogged follicles, which are often painful and feel hard and last but not least, cysts, which are deep, pus-filled pimples.

WHILE acne is a part of life, there are a few things you can do to prevent the oil build-up that can contribute to acne. The most effective way of controlling acne is washing your face once or twice a day with a mild soap or acne cleanser and warm water. Don't scrub your face hard with a washcloth – acne can't be scrubbed away, and scrubbing may actually make it worse by irritating the skin and pores. Try cleansing your face as gently as you can. If you wear make-up or sunscreen, make sure it's labelled 'non-comedogenic' or 'non-acnegenic'. This means it won't clog your pores and contribute to acne. And when you're washing your face, be sure you take the time to remove all of your makeup so it doesn't clog your pores.

AS tempting as it is, never squeeze, pop or pick blemishes. Popping pimples can drive acne bacteria deeper into the skin. Picking can lead to more inflammation and permanent scarring.

CONTRARY to an old wives' tale, acne isn't helped by the sun. While a golden glow may temporarily 'mask' blemishes the sun doesn't actually help clear skin. In fact, the sun's harsh rays can do far worse permanent damage to your skin than acne ever will. The verdict is also still out as to whether your diet affects acne. Some say too many chocs and French fries cause pimples. While some foods do cause your blood sugar to rise quickly, triggering a boost in insulin, which can trigger changes in your body that can lead to the growth of pore-clogging cells, experts are still divided as to the exact extent diet plays in skin woes. Some people do find that they notice their breakouts get more severe when they eat too much of a certain food. If you're one of them, it's worth trying to cut back on that food to see what happens. What experts all do agree on though, is that water helps flush out toxins from the body, hydrates your skin from the inside out and boosts blood flow.

TREATMENTS may include non-prescription topical treatments ('topical' means that you put these products on your skin). Many over-the-counter lotions and creams containing salicylic acid, sulphur, or benzoyl peroxide are available to help prevent acne and clear it up at the same time. They are available in many forms including gels, lotions, creams, soaps, and pads. You can experiment with these to see which helps. Be sure to follow the instructions exactly and don't use more than you're supposed to at one time (your skin may get too dried out and feel and look worse) and follow any label directions about allergy testing. Remember that it may take four to eight weeks for skin to improve.

WHEN it comes to acne aggravators, surprisingly hair products are a major culprit. Hair spray, conditioner, shampoo and gel can clog pores causing something called 'Pomade acne' so it's important to keep these products away from your face when caring for your locks or choose hair products that are oil-free. Who would have thought cellphones could be to blame for acne? Several studies have shown that cellphones are hotbeds for germs. Throughout any given day your phone can be exposed to thousands of bacteria, which spread from your fingers (via texting) to your face (via talking) and vice versa. In addition, the heat produced by your phone can help bacteria to multiply. To keep the germs from landing on your face, wipe the surface of your phone with a little hand sanitiser each day or use headphones instead.

OMEGA-3s have been shown to control the production of leukotriene B4, a molecule that can increase sebum and cause inflammatory acne. Omega-3s can be found in supplements or in foods like walnuts, avocados, flaxseed oil, and salmon.



Cameron Diaz

DERMATOLOGISTS (doctors who specialise in skin problems) often treat acne, particularly in severe cases. Family or general practitioners can treat milder forms of acne. Prescription oral drug treatments are sometimes recommended for teens with moderate to severe acne, and prescribed in addition to topical medication. Oral antibiotics are thought to help control acne by curbing the growth of bacteria, thereby decreasing inflammation. They are usually taken daily for four to six months and then tapered and discontinued as acne improves.



Katy Perry



Adam Levine



EVERY week we bring you stories of ordinary people who've overcome extraordinary circumstances and offer you the chance to pay it forward.

# Helping Baby Caylem

people  
Has Heart

BY VANESSA PAPAS

THE little boy was born with his intestines on the outside of his body.

Alan with son Caylem – Alan and wife Mienkie have to travel between Klerksdorp and Joburg daily to visit their baby son

Just after birth with intestines still outside his stomach

## PAY IT FORWARD

AT this stage Caylem is drinking Pre-Nan – a special baby formula specifically designed for feeding infants of low birth weight (premature and small for date infants). The formula is being supplied free of charge by the hospital, however, once discharged the family will need to pay for the formula themselves, which costs R85 for 400g. While they do not need money for medical care for Caylem, they do require donations for petrol as driving between Joburg and Klerksdorp every day is financially straining, temporary accommodation, and food if possible. If you are able to assist the family, please email Lettie at [rolets50@gmail.com](mailto:rolets50@gmail.com). For regular updates on Caylem's progress, a Facebook page has been created – 'Caylem Robêrt Support Group' – readers are welcome to join.

Baby Caylem is doing well

**E**VERY day that passes, Caylem Robêrt is one step closer to going home. His parents, mom Mienkie, 22, and dad Alan, 35, say it's a miracle their son survived after he was born with a birth defect called **gastroschisis**. The condition affects the abdominal (belly) wall, causing the intestines to protrude outside of the body. It's been an exhausting month for the couple from Flimieda in Klerksdorp. Every stage in their son's recovery has been incredibly stressful. While the surgery to repair Caylem's abdomen was successful, he developed various infections, including meningitis, and, although now stable, he is still in the Neonatal ICU. Mienkie and Alan were overjoyed when they heard they were expecting a baby. The news came as a huge surprise as doctors had predicted Mienkie would never be able to have children of her own. From the first trimester her pregnancy was termed 'high risk' but she managed to carry her baby to 35 weeks before going into labour. But two days later, baby Caylem had still not arrived and so doctors had to go the route of induction. Caylem was born in the Klerksdorp Hospital at 15h40 on March 10, 2015, weighting 2.7kg, but his parents' elation over the arrival of their first child quickly turned to panic and fear when the little boy didn't cry. "He was lying completely still and there was a mass on his stomach," says Caylem's granny, Lettie. "The sister in charge started rubbing him and only then did he start to cry. She wrapped him up in a wet, sterile blanket and taped it closed before rushing him to the neonatal ICU to put him on a ventilator."

Doctors explained that Caylem's intestines were protruding outside his body through a hole beside his belly button. The life-threatening defect occurs early during pregnancy, when the muscles that make up the baby's abdominal wall do not form correctly. This results in the formation of a hole, usually to the right side of belly button, which allows the intestines (and in some cases other organs) to extend outside of the body. Because the organs are not covered in a protective sac and are exposed to the amniotic fluid, the bowel can become irritated, causing it to shorten, twist, or swell. While the defect can sometimes be seen on screening tests that check for birth defects and other conditions, the Robêrt family did not have medical aid and so could not afford to pay for a 3D scan. The family were told that Caylem urgently needed surgery to place his intestines back inside his body and repair the abdominal wall. If it was found that the gastroschisis defect was small (with only a small part of his intestines extending outside of the belly), they'd be able to put the organ back relatively quickly and close the opening. If, however, the gastroschisis defect was found to be large, the repair will have to be done in stages. The exposed organ would be covered with a special material and slowly moved back into the belly. After the organ had been completely inserted, the opening would be closed. The Robêrts were warned that babies with gastroschisis often need other treatments as well, including receiving nutrients through an IV line, antibiotics to prevent infection, and careful attention to control their body temperature. Even if surgery was successful, Caylem would likely have

problems with feeding, digestion of food, and absorption of nutrients, and would need very special care after the operation. The hospital arranged for an ambulance to transport the baby to Chris Hani Baragwanath Hospital – one of the largest government-run hospitals in the world. When the ambulance arrived, there were eight specialists waiting for Caylem and they started working on him immediately. Caylem's intestines were placed in a plastic pouch (called a silo) on his stomach, and pressure was applied every day to reinsert the organ. Eleven days later, they were able to repair the hole. But while the operation was a success, not long after Caylem developed a sudden high fever, and was diagnosed with acute bacterial meningitis, which usually occurs when bacteria enters the bloodstream and migrate to the brain and spinal cord. Around the same time he also developed pneumonia, and was put on a strong antibiotic and closely monitored. "We were told meningitis can cause blindness, deafness or brain damage," says Lettie. "We prayed and prayed. It was the most traumatic time of our lives. We almost lost Caylem but by the grace of God he pulled through and tests revealed that he had not suffered any complications as a result of the infection. Caylem is now in a stable condition and his health is improving every day. Doctors say they are happy with his progress. He is still in the ICU but is no longer on a ventilator (although he still has a drip in his head). He is also suckling and is on 50ml of milk every three hours. We were told he would likely be discharged in the next two months."







IT'S not the best time for the **Kardashian** matriarch, who has found herself attacked from two sides: not only has her ex-husband **Bruce** come out accusing her of forcing him to repress who he truly is, but her son **Rob** has filed a suit against her for R550-million!

BY EL BROIDE

## Bruce Attacks Kris:

### "You Made Me Live A Lie"

**P**OOOR Bruce! As he prepares to share the news of his transition with Diane Sawyer, it seems he just can't shake off the fact that his ex-wife Kris made him live a lie all those years they were married – despite the fact that he was open and honest with her about his feminine feelings from the beginning. And now, he resents her more than ever!

By all accounts, **Kris Jenner** humiliated **Bruce** throughout their 25-year marriage, and wouldn't even let him tell his own children what he was really going through. The news comes as a complete shock to us and we don't understand why **Kris** wasn't more of a supportive wife if she decided to stay married to him despite his plans to transition into a woman.

Speaking of his transition, a source close to **Bruce** revealed, "**Bruce** has known since the age of five that he had a dominant feminine side. He is nervous to hear what the world thinks of his plans but he is so excited to be free of this lie **Kris** forced him to live for over 25 years."

A source claims that all of his children are

understanding and excited to see him happy...all except for one, that is – **Rob Kardashian**. **Rob** is totally against what his (step)dad is doing, and it's because of **Kris**. "All of **Kris'** children are travelling the world, building their empire – [except] for **Rob**, who is suffering from depression at home. He is the only one **Kris** can talk to and she has brainwashed him into taking her side. It's made **Rob's** depression worse!"

**Bruce**, however, is going ahead with his plans despite what **Kris** or anyone else thinks, with another source revealing that he will officially be known as 'Belinda' from now on, and that after the surgery he 'will consider himself a lesbian'.

The source also reveals what kind of women **Bruce** is looking for. "**Bruce** is attracted to curvy women with dark, smouldering looks." Hmmmm... No wonder he stuck by **Kris** all these years. We wish **Bruce** – or should we say Belinda? – nothing but happiness as he follows through with his plans to become a woman and we hope that he finds his peace – soon.





BY EL BROIDE

# INSIDE KRIS' Worst Week!

## Rob Sues Kris For R550-million!

**I**T hasn't been an easy few months for Rob Kardashian. He's still struggling with his weight and a reported drug abuse problem, and has been in hiding for the most part of last year. And with hardly any friends, Rob has been confiding in his mother Kris, who has been using these therapy sessions as content for *Keeping Up With The Kardashians*. But that's all coming to an end. Rob is angry, and now he's suing his momager for over R550-million!

On a recent episode of the smash hit reality show, cameras followed Scott Disick and Khloé Kardashian as they rifled through Rob's drawers, teasing him about his condom stash and eating habits. Later in the episode, Kris organised with Kim and Kourtney for a meeting with a psychologist, in which they recounted Rob's downfall. Kim called him the 'king of excuses' while Kourtney revealed that she can't understand what went wrong because he 'had it so easy'. And Rob is so sick of his family cashing in on his life that he has threatened executive producer, Kris, with legal action.

"Even after he refused to appear on the show – and been cut out of his family's \$100-million (over R1-million) extension deal – his life is used as the story line," a source close to Rob says. "He wants to find an ironclad way to stop them from even mentioning his name on the show, let alone discussing his mental health."

While we get that Kris and the family may be trying their best to help Rob, it is true that the recent episode has drawn even more attention to Rob – something he has said time and time again that he wants to avoid.

"He's shocked at his family's

concerns," a friend of Rob says. "If they were genuinely worried about him, he thinks that they would realise that talking about him on TV is only making things worse and pushing him away." Things are so bad that he has even walked out on the only person he believed would always look out for him: Khloé. Rob moved in with Khloé and she was a huge support system for him, but he now believes that she is just as bad as everyone else. "He knows she's snooping on him and talking about him behind his back," the friend adds. "It's not like she asks the crew to shut the cameras off. Now he's questioning her allegiance."

Rob believes that the only way he can get better is by cutting ties with his mom and sisters before he can truly focus on getting better. "He's aware that they expect him to walk back through the door when money

runs out, without actually realising that they are the cause of the problems," the source says. So his solution? Sue them R550-million, based on the fact that they use him as content for the show.

"It'll be an uphill battle, but Rob believes that he is entitled to the money since his struggles have featured prominently on the show," reveals the source. Hopefully the man can finally find peace soon so he can really start working on himself. He deserves it.



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## Our Hero

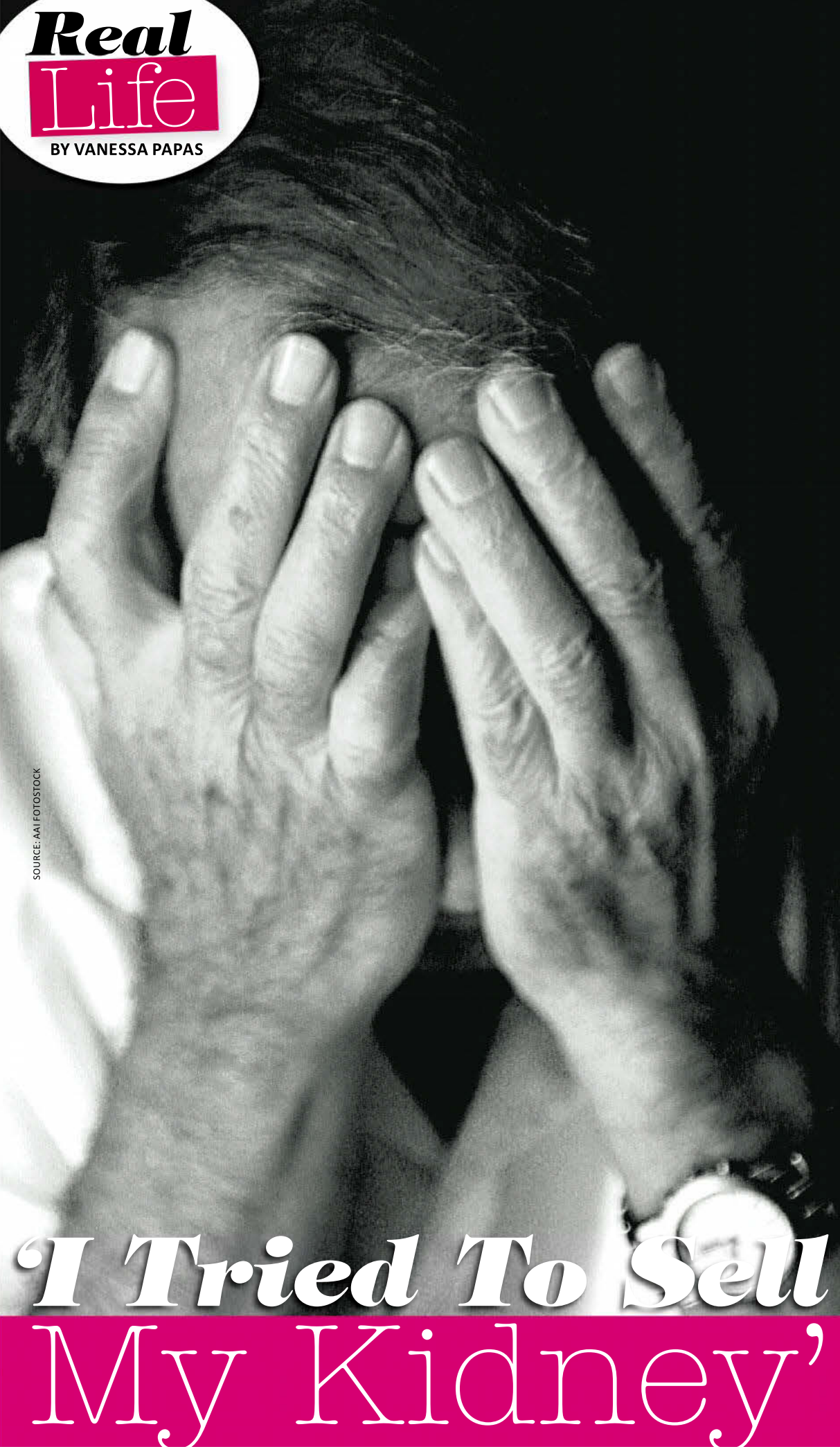
### SCHALK BURGER

recently won the Laureus World Comeback Of The Year Award at the ceremony in Shanghai, and we think there's no one else who came even close to the already legendary Stormers and Springbok flank. Were he any ordinary sportsman **Schalk** might have been tempted to quit rugby when he contracted life-threatening bacterial meningitis. The illness devastated his body and saw him drop weight dramatically, going from 120kg to just 90kg. He left rugby entirely for months and, by his own admission, wasn't certain he would even live, let alone return to the field. "On about the third day in hospital my wife phoned my family and closest friends and told them to come and say goodbye because I was on my way out. I was conscious of it. But I was literally just fighting from heartbeat to heartbeat. And every heartbeat felt like a knife stabbing in my brain. At times I felt like just stopping, but I could literally feel myself then slipping and would have to fight again," he said. Just two years later, however, and he's been given an international award recognising not only his return, but his outstanding quality of play while doing so. He was a key member of the squad to play Australia and New Zealand in the Rugby Championship, and was later named Man Of The Match in the November victory over England at Twickenham, in which he scored the decisive third try. "All he needs now to complete this remarkable comeback is to have a wonderful World Cup later this year," said Laureus World Sports Academy member and All Blacks rugby legend **Sean Fitzpatrick**.

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SOURCE: AAI FOTOSTOCK

WHEN a father of two fell on hard times he decided to sell his kidney...but landed up being the victim of a syndicated scam.

**H**AVING reached the end of his tether, an unemployed husband and father of two grown children had all but given up the will to live. In financial ruin, he could barely put food on the table, let alone provide his family with the life they deserved. The 58-year-old resident of Margate, KwaZulu-Natal had lost his job over three years ago and had battled to make ends meet since – deciding to sell one of his kidneys on the black market was a decision, he says, made out of sheer desperation.

In 2014, the inability to find employment drove Peter to begin exploring the option of selling his organ to the highest bidder. "I remember clearly the day I hit breaking point," says Peter, who asked for his surname not to be made public. "It was 02h00 and I couldn't sleep. I was worried sick about the state of my life and my future. Despite having years of experience, I just couldn't get employed. I had sent out countless applications for positions advertised across the country, but had heard nothing back. So I got up, walked to the bathroom cabinet, and took out a box of sleeping pills. I thought it would be so easy – just take them and go to sleep forever; say goodbye to all my troubles – but when I glanced back towards where my wife was sleeping I realised I couldn't leave her behind."

While searching once again for jobs on his computer, Peter came across an article dealing with the shortage of kidney donors and the black market. He typed in 'KIDNEY FOR SALE' in the search line and waited. Various sites popped up, and he started to explore his options.

"One post by UBTH Specialist Hospital came up offering to buy kidneys and claiming to transplant in various parts of the world such as India, Nigeria, and the USA. I had never thought of selling my kidney, but it seemed to be the only way out, so I copied the address and contacted the doctor on the site – a 'Dr Calvin Cien' – asking what was needed from my side in order to get the transaction going. The reply came back that they would pay around R3.5-million for my kidney and all expenses would be carried by them, which included airfare, hospitalisation and aftercare. It was a lot of money. I could live without the worry of where the rent was coming from, and my job search would be over as well." Little did Peter know that the entire operation was a scam. In just a few months he sent a total of 328 e-mails and received 267 e-mails back, all designed to keep him on the hook.

"Dr Cein' advised that in order for this process to take place, I had to register with the Nigeria Kidney Foundation.

# *I Tried To Sell My Kidney'*



He also advised that half the funds would be paid up front, with the balance being paid once the operation had taken place. The cost of registration was about R3 500, which was peanuts compared to the end result, and I was so desperate, the money was scraped together and paid. Red flags should have flown from the start, but desperation makes a person do funny things. I was instructed to make the payment via Western Union, which meant, no tracking of the money or the person receiving it, so I took a blind leap of faith and made the payment. I was informed that the operation would take place in India, at one of the specialist hospitals, but they couldn't give me the name for security reasons. I would be away from home for three weeks, and the surgical team would accompany me on the flight. I would be advised when this would happen." Two days later, Peter received an e-mail, directing him to a website that would allow him to transfer roughly R1.2-million into his own account. "Once you had successfully registered on its online portal, you had to click on 'Remittances'. I pushed send, and waited, with my heart in my mouth, but the next thing I was being asked for a COT code in order for the transfer to be completed. I contacted the good Dr Calvin Cein, regarding the COT code and was advised by the doctor that I needed to pay a further R2 400 to receive the code. That's when I decided to do a search on what a 'COT' code was."

An article came up explaining how a COT was used in Nigerian scams, giving them access to your banking account.

"I finally realised I'd been scammed but by then it had become an obsession with me. I needed to sell my kidney. I knew it was the only way out of my situation – there were no job prospects, regardless of the number of applications that have been sent out, regardless of how often I had prayed and asked for help," he says.

Peter started searching other 'buy or sell kidney' sites and even put a post on Facebook that read: "I am A+, live in South Africa, have a current passport and very serious about selling my kidney. I am fit and healthy, and anyone out there who is looking for a living donor, and prepared to pay, contact me and we can take it from there. You would need to cover all costs involved, which would be airfare, hospital, visa, kidney and medical insurance. Note I will not travel to Iran or Nigeria for the surgery." The post, says Peter, had the desired result and he was contacted by countless people. "The e-mails flew thick and fast. Offers poured in for my kidney. People promised me the Earth in exchange for my organ. When push came to shove, however, all these 'applicants' wanted me to pay a registration fee, which of course made me realise I was in line to be scammed once again."

Peter eventually made contact with a doctor claiming to be from India. 'Dr Daria Hazuda' seemed to be 'the real deal'. He worked at Daria Hazuda Hospital in New Delhi, collaborated with the National Kidney Foundation of India and offered Peter R1.6-million for his organ. "With this deal seemingly a certainty, things were looking up and it seemed as if finally everything was going to fall into place. I was sleeping far better, and sticking to a strict diet. No beer, lots of water to flush the

kidneys, and I was ready to leave at the drop of a hat... Then another bombshell was dropped, and this time it was supposedly directly from the India State Bank."

Peter received a mail saying the money was going to be transferred, but only once he had paid an international bank transfer activation fee of about R2 300. Peter deposited the last few hundred remaining in his account. "I received a certificate from them, listing me as a donor, as well as a copy of the deposit slip for over R700 000, deposited in my name at the India State Bank. I was thrilled but as time moved on I heard nothing from the bank. Then I got an e-mail and it felt like someone had dropped a bomb on me. It stated that due to the huge amount of money to be transferred abroad, the Central Bank of India demanded a sum of roughly R5 400, to be paid by to the Central Bank of India's treasury. Without this, no money would be released and no activation code would be issued to the account of the benefactor abroad. Peter realised he'd been scammed once again. "In South Africa, about 1 000 people await kidney transplants each year but over the past three years only a quarter of these lifesaving operations have been performed in the private and public healthcare sectors," says Peter. "All it takes is a quick Internet search with the words 'sell kidney

**"I finally realised I'd been scammed but by then it had become an obsession with me. I needed to sell my kidney. I knew it was the only way out of my situation myself."**

South Africa', and hundreds of websites appear with desperate, out of work, poor South Africans willing to sell their body parts for a fee. Then all that is needed is a willing doctor. And, according to recent research, doctors in the private sector can get away with the procedure easily because South Africa currently has

no national register in which every transplant is recorded. Even though there is such a huge need for kidney donors, through my experience, I have finally realised that there is no such thing as 'easy money'... Except, of course, if you're a con artist. My advice to others in the same boat as me, wanting to sell their organ online for money: If it sounds too good to be true, it probably is."



**Fake contract**

## A RUTHLESS WOMAN

**THE officers found a will leaving everything to the victim's son, Arthur.**

**I**T was November 11, 1926, and Maude Collins, Ohio's first female sheriff, was faced with a grim murder. She had been called to the farm of William and Sarah Stout (both in their 60s) in Vinton County after a neighbour had noticed the front door of their farmhouse was standing open.

Sarah's body lay in front of the living room stove. Her face, neck and portions of her body were charred beyond recognition. But one arm, which lay extended on the floor in front of her, wasn't burnt, suggesting that she had not tried to extinguish the flames with her hands. All her hair had been incinerated, except where her head came in contact with the floor. An autopsy later showed that cause of death was strangulation – the body had then been drenched in kerosene and set alight.

Sarah was last seen alive two days before, in the town of McArthur, when she had sworn out a warrant against Arthur Stout, her stepson. It was an adultery charge citing his illicit relationship with Inez Palmer, who had been living with him for three years on his farm about six kilometres from his father's property.

Before going to the police, Sarah had told a friend she was afraid Arthur would kill her for what she was about to do. Why then did she swear out the warrant? Despite their age, the couple were newly married, and some say Sarah felt Arthur's 'situation' would tarnish their own reputation. Others suggest Sarah was a gold-digger, looking to eliminate any competition for William's money.

Whatever the reason, Arthur was arrested – and almost immediately bailed out by his father. However, on hearing of Sarah's murder, William called for his son be taken into custody. This was done and in early February 1927; a Grand Jury indicted Arthur for first degree murder.

At about the same time Sheriff Maude, as she was called by locals, heard rumours that William Stout had gone missing. She and her deputy, Ray Cox, visited the farm. Clearly, William had not shared his late wife's animosity toward Inez Palmer, because she was staying there, along with Arthur's sons, Artie and William.

The last time she had seen William, he was mending fences on the farm, Palmer told Sheriff Maude. She said she'd later heard he had headed 'out west'. Shaking their heads at this strange story Sheriff Maude and Deputy Cox set about following the fence William had been fixing.

They saw work had indeed been done. They also spotted footprints. Cox returned to the farmhouse to fetch a pair of William's shoes. They matched the indentations, but Sheriff Maude noticed the footprints were not as deep in the soil as those of Deputy Cox, a man of about the same stature as Stout.

The sheriff dropped the shoes to the ground and slipped them on. She walked up and down beside the original set of footprints. Her own fresh footprints were about the same depth.

A search of the farmhouse revealed all of William Stout's belongings were there. He hadn't packed the kind of things one would when taking a trip. The officers also found a will leaving everything to Arthur.

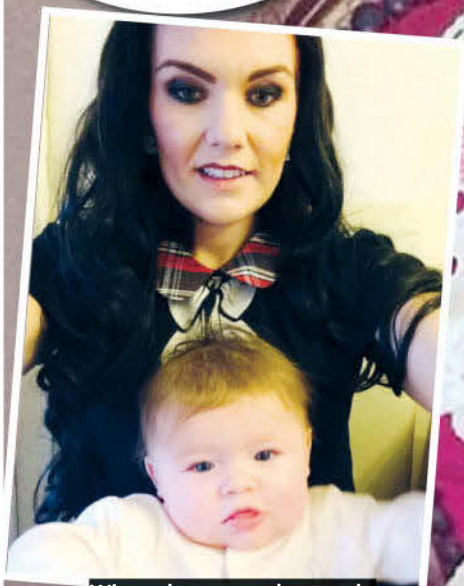
Arthur's sons Artie and William innocently provided the clue that broke the case. They informed the two law officers that Inez had told them the water behind the Stout house was not fit for consumption and they'd best just stay clear of the well.

Sure enough, they found William Stout's body in the well behind the house. Sheriff Maude and Deputy Cox promptly arrested Inez Palmer, who confessed straight away, saying she had killed William because he made advances toward her. She admitted to trying to cover up the crime by putting on a pair of William's shoes and making footprints near the repaired fences. And, yes, she had forged the will.

When Arthur Stout learnt of Palmer's confession, he declared that she had killed Sarah, and then told him to burn the body. Arthur Stout was found guilty of second degree murder and Inez Palmer with first degree murder in April, 1927. They both were sentenced to life terms.

ACCORDING to the World Health Organisation the illegal trade in kidneys has risen to such a level that an estimated 10 000 black market operations involving purchased human organs now take place annually – more than one an hour. They propose that the trade should be legalised, allowing donors to sell their organs to those who need them, and in turn curb the ever-increasing trafficking on the black market, not to mention high level of scamming.





Witney has spent thousands on daughter Romany Rose and dresses her up like a doll



Witney bought Romany Rose a R53 000 Rolex watch



**H**ONEY BOO BOO? So last year. With a R53 000 Rolex, a pageant crown by the age of three weeks, and hundreds of designer dresses, there's a new mini diva in town and she's called Romany Rose... mom Witney Rowland, 20, shares her story.

"Perfectly wrapped in matching pink and purple wrapping paper with bows and ribbons, my baby girl will have hundreds of presents waiting for her on her first birthday this June.

I started buying her birthday presents months ago. A new R21 000 pram, a few new designer dresses... She already had five prams but I wanted one more. She already has plenty of designer dresses too, but that doesn't stop me. I've just discovered a new Spanish brand, Miss Rodriga, and I spent close to R18 000 on dresses and cardigans for the big day.

I haven't worked out how I'm going to wrap her main present though – a R53 000 castle bed with a slide coming down from the top bunk.

I bought her a R6 200 Range Rover for Christmas, but she's still too small for it so I'm buying her a R2 600 baby Porsche for her birthday. The Range Rover can wait. Meanwhile, the Porsche comes with a remote control

so she can whizz about in the car while I make sure she doesn't bang into the walls.

She may be too little to know what's going on, but her birthday party will be themed like a fairground, with two jumping-castles, a bucking bronco, a blow-up candy shop, toffee apples and candy floss. There will be a real Cinderella and Sleeping Beauty – and Romany will be the centre of attention.

It might seem frivolous for a one-year-old and she won't even remember it, but all these pink and starry experiences are what she's all about. I was just as generous for her first Christmas, when she was only six months old. Not only did she get the baby Range Rover, but also a R7 000 cashmere cape, a R6 200 Young Vivace coat, over R17 000 worth of designer dresses, learning toys and mini-mouse games. She was too young to know how to unwrap the presents so I did it for her, while she watched, as fascinated by the pink ribbons her presents came wrapped in as she was the presents themselves.

I bought her a R53 000 Rolex watch, which was supposed to be a Christmas present but I couldn't stop myself giving it to her early. As soon as it arrived I just had to put it on her wrist. Romany Rose's first Christmas clocked up to around R89 000 and we're looking at a good R95 000 for





# New Boo Boo

HONEY who? It's time for Romany Rose to rise...

her first birthday.

By now you'll be wondering how I can afford all this extravagance for my little girl. And even if I do have the money, I'm sure you think I'm wasting it on a baby who won't remember it when she's older. But I think you're wrong. We'll always have the photographs and even if she doesn't have specific memories of her first birthday, she's only one once; I think she deserves to have the most incredible party ever. She deserves to be lavished in more gifts than she knows what to do with.

A single mom, I live with my parents, Christine, 39, and Morris Rowland, 52, in Plymouth in the UK. My dad is a successful businessman who owns his own metal works company. A few years ago he bought me a salon so I could run my own hairdressing business.

Before Romany Rose came along, I was a typical teenager. Okay, I didn't work in any old salon, but one my dad bought for me, but I worked during the week and went out over weekends. My life was all about going out and having a good time. I'd wake up the morning after the night before with nothing to show for it except a headache and a broken pair of heels. Life wasn't exactly fulfilling.

Now, I live for Romany. She's given my life purpose and I've never been happier. That's why I spoil her rotten – it's my way of saying thank you.

I wasn't in a relationship when I found out I was pregnant. I didn't even think I wanted children. But there I was, a positive pregnancy test in my hand, seven weeks pregnant. I'd been seeing someone casually but he was long gone by the time I realised I was having a baby. It didn't sink in straight away. The pregnancy continued while I adjusted my plans for my future. Then, at the 20-week scan, the sonographer told me I was having a girl. That was the moment everything changed. A baby girl! I went straight to the shops. My baby girl was going to need kitting out.

Two days later, her first gift arrived at the house – a R257 000 pram. The next day, Mom and I went from Plymouth to Liverpool to start shopping. It's a long way to go, a good 900km journey there and back, but the designer shops are just bigger and better in Liverpool.

Luckily for me, Dad's very generous with his cash.

He'll let me buy Romany anything.

After he gave me R17 000 and I blew the lot on little dresses and hair-bows before she was even born; I haven't been able to stop. I'm on a mission to make her the most pampered, beautiful princess ever. 'Dad, I want Romany Rose to have everything her heart desires,' I said. 'I want her to be the next **Honey Boo Boo**!' 'We all know **Honey Boo Boo** by now – the American pageant star who has a way with words and so much sass she owns every catwalk she struts down. She has beautiful dresses, ringlet hair and worldwide fame. That's what I want for Romany.

My dad has always looked after me and he didn't mind splashing out for Romany, especially once she was born. He was so madly in love with her, he'd have bought her the moon on a stick if he could. He isn't brave enough to just hand over his credit card, but whatever I want to buy her, I just have to tell him how much it costs and he'll buy it. Sometime he'll have a moan but then Romany's eyes light up as soon as she sees him

and he's putty in her hands.

Even before Romany was born, her bedroom was overflowing with prams, dresses and accessories. Her five prams all cost around R21 000 each; I bought her R14 000 diamond earrings, and she has around 500 R1 700 designer dresses, as well as a baby bath that cost R6 000. She has a Gucci handbag that cost R2 600 and an antique crib worth R35 500. Her dress collection must be worth over R177 000 alone and her bedroom rivals any diva – it's full-to-busting with pink dresses and glittery accessories. Dad just rolls his eyes but Mom and I get so excited. You might think I'm dressing her up like a doll, but Romany Rose is the happiest baby – she is always smiling. She loves it when I dress her up. As soon as she sees a camera, she smiles, giggles and bounces up and down. Fake eyelashes, hair in rollers – she laps it up. That's why she's already done so well at baby beauty pageants. She's won five sashes and three crowns – for Cutest Baby, Best Dressed, Best Eyes, Miss Glitz and Best Smile. She won her first crown and sash when she was three weeks old. I've got a wardrobe full of pageant clothes she hasn't had the chance to even wear yet.

I put her in fake eyelashes but I don't glue them to her actual eyelashes, I just stick them to her eyebrows. She doesn't mind and it makes her look so cute. If she cried or protested, I'd take them off but she doesn't so I don't see any harm. I know people think I've gone too far. But Romany's bedroom is magical; whenever she's in there, her eyes dart happily around, dazzled by all the glitter and sparkles. What child wouldn't want a bedroom like that? Romany has changed my life so much. I used to spend all my time out drinking – now I don't even drink. I like staying in with Romany – it's much more fun than a night on the dance-floor. Romany Rose might be the most pampered tot in Britain, but she's made me a better person. I want Romany to be a star. And if she's going to do that, she needs to have all the right outfits and all the right accessories. That's why she has so many dresses, bracelets, bows and hair pieces. It's why I have bought her a Rolex and a Range Rover – she's not just any baby: she's Romany Rose."

Romany Rose's dress collection is worth over R177 000 alone



## Strange But True

BY EUGENIA BOOI



### Wired-Up

ENGLISH artist Richard Stainthorpe captures the beautiful energy and fluidity of the human body using wire. The life-sized sculptures feature figures both in motion and at rest, expressed in the form of large-gauged strands that are densely wrapped around and through one another. Stainthorpe also allows the bent wires to shine by keeping their metallic appearance free from any obvious painting or additions. He has been creating these alluring artworks for almost 20 years. They don't have any facial features, but through their body language we understand their emotions. Some look as though they're falling and communicate a feeling of freedom or infinite possibility. Another sculpture has a set of wire 'wings' that appear a shield. To think that Stainthorpe articulates all of this through something as commonplace as wire is breathtaking.

### Scrap Transformers

THE *Transformers* franchise is a massive success in China – so much so that farmer Yu Zhilin, with a background in fine arts, decided to start creating life-sized robots using spare car parts in his free time. Fast forward three years and he's finished his first scrap sculpture with his son Lu Yingyun in tow, and things only got bigger from there. His latest project consisted of Optimus Prime and Bumblebee, assembled in their makeshift home workshop.



### Hair Today, Here To Stay

HARNAAM KAUR, a British woman, has appeared in a photography exhibition celebrating the world's best facial hair, having grown a beard for seven years. The primary school teacher has embraced her appearance, and has even been baptised as a Sikh – a religion in which it is forbidden to cut body hair – and is the only woman to appear in the collection of photographs after speaking out against critics of her appearance. Harnaam has been growing a beard since the age of 16 after being diagnosed with polycystic ovary syndrome, a condition which causes excess hair growth.



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# Did You Know?

BY WARREN ROBERTSON

## INTERESTING facts about the world we live in.

❖ A THUNDERHEAD cloud formation can have more mass than 10 000 jumbo jets.

❖ THE pygmy hippopotamus is only half as tall as a normal hippo and weighs less than one quarter as much as its larger cousin.

❖ A MALE bear is called a boar while a female bear is called a sow.

❖ THE surnames 'Lee' and 'Zhang' belong to 13% of the Chinese population.

❖ IN a few American towns, Halloween was originally referred to as 'Cabbage Night'.

❖ MICHELLE RODRIGUEZ didn't have a driver's license when filming started on *The Fast And The Furious*.

❖ THE UK uses 'incident screens' to block the view of traffic accidents on the highway in an attempt to reduce rubbernecking delays.

❖ APPLE has a 'secret police' called the Worldwide Loyalty Team that makes sure no employees leak something.

❖ THE AZTECS used chocolate as currency – one hen was worth 100 cacao beans.

❖ APPLES, plums and pears are all a part of the rose family.

❖ SINGLE-MALT scotch means that it comes from one distillery, not one barrel. Blends can have up to 40 different distilleries.

❖ HONEY BOO BOO'S mother spent some time in jail for passing bad checks and stealing money from McDonald's when she was an employee there.

❖ A group of chickens is called a brood or peep.

❖ PLANETARY scientist Eugene Shoemaker is the only human in history to have his ashes buried on the Moon.

❖ IN the United States, there were 2 000 babies named 'Beyoncé' between 1998 and 2013.

SOURCE: DOUBLE VISION MEDIA



## 'I'm Happier **FAT**

## Than I Ever Was Skinny'

SHE may be larger than she's ever been – but she's also the happiest.

**J**ONI EDELMAN, 40, lives with her husband, Matt, and five kids – Kelsey, Sean, Owen, Ella and Max.

You might not believe it, looking at her now, but once she had a size-four figure, and couldn't wait to show it off. After back-to-pack pregnancies and years of yo-yo dieting, Joni, then 34, had lost over 27kg and finally reached her goal weight. But she soon realised that happiness couldn't be found on a scale. Having slimmed down to 55kg, Joni was excited to trade in her old baggy clothes for her new bikini body. "It was the first time I'd worn a bathing suit in years," Joni says. "It was also the skinniest I'd been since I was 16." Growing up, Joni had never had any excess wait

trouble. In fact, she was so skinny as a child that her friends called her Boney Joni. But despite her naturally thin 1.7m frame, she admits she was always dieting. "I was just eight years old the first time I weighed myself," she reveals. "My friends and I would watch Jane Fonda's jazzercise videos at sleepovers and when I went to birthday parties I refused to eat cake. I'd tell my friends, 'I'm on a diet' – almost like it was trendy." Throughout her teenage years, Joni's relationship with food worsened. "One day I would eat whatever I wanted from McDonald's and the next day I wouldn't eat anything," she admits. For years Joni was constantly bargaining for food to maintain her 56kg frame.





But when she fell pregnant with her first daughter in 1994, her body started to change.

"I really wanted to embrace my pregnancy, so I allowed myself to eat whatever I wanted," she explains. "It was the first time in my life that I wasn't on a diet – but after gaining 15kg, I started to panic."

After giving birth to her daughter, Chelsea, Joni was desperate to lose her extra baby weight. She tried everything – from juice cleanses and Atkins to slimming drinks and diet pills. But after three back-to-back pregnancies, her body never quite went back to normal. "Over time I became an eternal yo-yo dieter, constantly losing weight and then gaining it all back," Joni recalls.

After starting nursing school in 2004, Joni lost hope she'd ever return to her pre-baby body. Between school, working 12-hour overnight shifts and looking after three young kids, she didn't have the time or energy to diet and exercise, and over the next three years her weight continued to pile on.

But in 2008, weighing 88kg, she'd finally had enough. "At the time I was going through a divorce and I could feel my life falling apart," she says. "I was determined to take control." So, within six months of joining Weight Watchers, Joni lost an incredible 22kg. She also started training for a marathon and running 56km a week. But in addition to her strict workout regime, Joni also became obsessed with restricting calories.

She swapped her favourite foods like pasta and bread for things she hated like rice cakes and spray-on butter.

"I counted every calorie I ate – down to a single cherry tomato," she admits. "I even developed compulsive eating habits like chewing a single almond 40 times and running six kilometres anytime I ate a cookie. I had to be in control of everything."

By June 2009 Joni reached her goal weight – 55kg – and started dating her current husband, Matt. But despite her incredible transformation, she didn't quite feel comfortable in her new skin.

"I was so excited about my slim figure that I went out and bought 10 new bikinis that summer. But every time I looked in the mirror all I could see were flaws," Joni admits.

"I was the skinniest I'd been since I was a teenager, but it was almost the most self-conscious I'd ever felt about my body."

Eventually Joni became so obsessed with diet and exercise that she stopped caring about anything else. She avoided seeing her friends and stopped sitting down for dinner with her family, always making excuses to eat less and exercise more.

"I would weigh myself five times a day and my mood was entirely based on the number I saw on

the scale. I thought being skinny would make me happy, but instead it made me anxious, miserable and depressed. Eventually my husband was so fed up with my mood changes that he hid my scale and asked me to gain weight. That was the 'light bulb' moment when I realised I was so much more than a dress size."

Less than a year after achieving her dream body Joni fell pregnant again with her fourth baby.

At first she panicked, worried all her hard work to achieve her dream body was for nothing. But eventually, she was able to let go of her diet mentality and embrace her body in its fuller form.

"My whole life I was in a constant state of panic about losing weight, but now as a mom-of-five I've finally let go of my obsession," she says happily. "At 95kg I'm the fattest I've ever been in my life – but I'm also the happiest I've ever been, and it's worth all of the extra weight. Now, instead of counting calories and running 16km a day, I have time to play games with my kids and spend time with my friends."

"I still cook healthy and exercise in moderation, but I make no apologies for enjoying pizza nights with my family and a scoop of ice cream whenever I want. Before, I thought being a size four would make me happy. But even my husband agrees that at a size 18 I'm sexier, happier and more confident than ever before."



Joni with her husband and kids



Now heavier and happier



With her children



Then and now

# Mnandi News

BY JACQUI THOMPSON

## SPREADING FEEL-GOOD NEWS

**W**ANT to say thank you? Got something positive to say about someone? Has a stranger done a good deed for you? Have you received outstanding service from a place or a person? We want to know about it. No kind deed should go unacknowledged. E-mail [mnandinews@gmail.com](mailto:mnandinews@gmail.com) or sms the word 'Mnandi' to 48408. Keep your message to about 50 words and include your name or pseudonym and area.

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**Mrs G Chetty, Bluewater Bay**

I WANT to thank my Violet for being my friend. We are two elderly women who now live together with my having employed Violet for over 38 years. We have watched our children grow and move away and each of us has buried our husbands. Now we just have each other. Thank you, Violet, for being such a dear friend.

**Margaret Birch, Roodekrans Ext 9**

I WANT to give a shout-out to all my friends who are just THE best – I don't know what I would do without them. This is for you, Dumi, Megs, Lerato, The Suze, Mikey, Jo-anne and Peta. You guys rock! No one understands me like y'all do.

**Thandi, Weltevreden Park**

THANKS to the young kids in Greenstone shopping centre a few Saturdays ago who helped me pick up all my grocery items when my carrier bag split.

**Anonymous, Bonaero Park**

THERE'S a packer at Pick n Pay Seapoint who is always friendly and helpful and she makes shopping there a pleasure. She is a casual hoping to get a fulltime position. I have told the manager how good she is.

**Veronica Smal, Greenpoint**

I WENT to the Matrix computer store in Woodmead after hearing they gave such excellent service and had competitive prices. It's all true – the staff is friendly and know their stuff. They didn't even charge me for some help I needed from their Technical counter; the guy just said I must buy my next printer from them. I will! Very good service, guys!

**Ashley, Fourways**



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BY VANESSA PAPAS

# NOT FOR SENSITIVE READERS!



## THE SCIENCE OF TORTURE

FROM their Garden of Eden, thousands of monkeys exported from Mauritius to research laboratories across the world await a fate far worse than death.

**I**T'S a bright tropical paradise popular for its spotless white beaches, palm trees and crystal-clear blue lagoons, but the island known as the 'star and key of the Indian Ocean' has a dark and sinister side. Mauritius is the second largest supplier of monkeys for the research industry in the world, exporting up to 10 000 primates destined to be burnt, suffocated, maimed, tortured, poisoned and killed every year.

Wild long-tailed macaque monkeys – considered a nuisance by the Mauritius Government – are torn from their jungle homes and families and imprisoned in large breeding farms on the southern part of the island. Eight to 12 months later, the female monkeys give birth. Two years after that, these babies are quarantined, checked for diseases and then exported, primarily to the USA and the European Union. Due to the secrecy surrounding animal experiments, very little was known about what happens to these monkeys once they leave the island and reach the laboratory...until now. A joint investigation by the British Union for the Abolition of Vivisection (BUAV) and Soko-Tierschutz revealed the horrors faced by these macaques inside the Max Planck Institute for Biological Cybernetics in Germany, a major European laboratory that imports monkeys from Mauritius. Speaking to **people** magazine, Sarah Kite of BUAV – an international organisation (with headquarters in London) whose mission it is to create a world where experimentation on animals is nonexistent – says the practice of trapping and exporting monkeys from Mauritius for research dates back to 1985.

"Over the years the trade has expanded, and today we believe there are six farms holding tens of thousands of monkeys. The trade has largely moved away from what was once just the export of wild monkeys, to the export of the offspring of said monkeys (known as 'F1' or 'first generation')," says Sarah. "Figures just released show that during 2014, a total of 8 991 monkeys were exported from Mauritius. That's an increase of 2 937 from 2013 (48 percent)." Sarah explains that in 2012, a BUAV investigation uncovered the slaughter of hundreds of monkeys at Noveprim Ltd, a primate breeding farm in Mauritius.

Graphic images showed discarded dead monkeys stacked in piles on the floor or dumped in bins like garbage. Other images showed mutilated bodies in a skip awaiting incineration. The BUAV was told that the slaughter included, among others, adult males weighing over 4kg (deemed to be too heavy because overseas laboratories were requesting primates weighing less than 3.5kg), as well as pregnant females and young monkeys that were considered 'surplus' to requirements. Only the monkeys that 'make the grade' were exported for research. The investigation at Noveprim preceded another undercover investigation conducted by BUAV at the Max Planck Institute (MPI) for Biological Cybernetics in Germany, which imports monkeys from Mauritius. The disclosure has caused a global outcry. The monkeys at MPI were being used for basic research into how the brain processes information. As part of an experiment to study neural connections in the brain, they each underwent major surgery to have a device (known as a 'head chamber') implanted in their skulls, so that 'tracers' could be injected directly into their brains. The monkeys suffered bleeding head wounds, made worse because they repeatedly picked at the incision sites. The wounds continued to irritate for days after the surgery, and some became infected with MRSA, resulting in further suffering and discomfort. Those with infected head wounds

were regularly sedated to have the 'head chambers' cleaned – a distressing and gruelling routine. After weeks or sometimes months, the monkeys were killed so their brains could be removed from their skulls and examined.

"Anyone who has seen the footage (which can be viewed on [www.buav.org/undercover-investigations/a-living-nightmare/the-mauritius-connection](http://www.buav.org/undercover-investigations/a-living-nightmare/the-mauritius-connection) – NOT FOR SENSITIVE READERS), will agree that these primates face a future far worse than death. There are other ways to do this research that do not inflict harm and suffering on animals. These monkeys never knew what it was like to enjoy their natural habitat, embrace freedom, or live life as a wild animal. They experienced a living nightmare at the hands of the research industry, from which death was their only escape," says Sarah. "This is research for which any application to human beings is highly speculative and far in the future (if at all), these monkeys suffered greatly in an attempt to understand the human brain. This is the wrong approach. Other primates are also regularly used in studies in drug addiction, maternal deprivation and various diseases. Many of these experiments involve the implanting of electrodes – which cause brain lesions – or making the monkeys dependent on various drugs. This frequently results in substantial pain and suffering. Primates are also used in toxicity testing, where they are forced to consume or inhale, or are injected with poisonous chemicals or drugs that may cause vomiting, pain from metabolic disturbances, convulsions, collapse of their vascular system, shock, difficulty in normal physiologic processes such as breathing, and slow death."

Sarah explains that despite international awareness of the major role Mauritius plays in the trade in primates, BUAV found that there was little awareness amongst the people of Mauritius itself. "Following the widespread publicity of the findings of our field investigation, which revealed the cruelty of the trapping and imprisoning of wild monkeys, the BUAV held a press conference in Mauritius and a series of meetings with community leaders and socio-cultural organisations. Save Our Monkeys was established on the back of this. It is a campaign project launched by the BUAV to raise awareness of, and support for, the monkeys of Mauritius. It is a campaign for the people of Mauritius who want to join us in ending this cruel trade. Our tri-lingual website (English, Kreole and French) and social media presence on Facebook and Twitter have enabled those Mauritians concerned about the exploitation of these monkeys to join our campaign. We are delighted by the response and support we have received, but admit we still have a long way to go in educating people about the cruelty behind exporting monkeys, and stopping this practice altogether."

Contrary to popular belief, monkeys are not indigenous to Mauritius but were introduced between the 16th and the 17th centuries, most likely brought to the island by Dutch sailors. According to some wildlife experts, the ever-growing monkey population on the island is of concern from a conservation point



The tragic fate that awaits these monkeys far overshadows the foreign exchange and 1 000 odd jobs the exportation of these sentient beings apparently generates





The monkey 'farm' where they are kept in cages



of view. The Mauritian Wildlife Foundation (MWF) maintains that the monkeys eat birds' eggs, kill small and adult birds alike and attack indigenous plants. Endangered species like the Pink Pigeon, the Echo Parakeet and even the Kestrel are regular victims of monkeys. MWF have claimed the impact of monkeys on the island's forests is also 'disastrous' and that capturing the monkeys and exporting them is beneficial to the environment and to indigenous species.

Sarah, however, has rubbished these claims. "The primate

breeders attempt to justify the trade on the grounds that the long-tailed macaque is not native, is a 'pest' and, therefore, not deserving of conservation concerns. Yet, despite the claims surrounding this 'pest' status, there are no efforts to eradicate the species entirely. Instead, the existing population is being allowed to reproduce freely so that it can be exploited to continuously supply macaque breeding farms, which have become a big industry on the island. It is clear that there is an economic incentive for these companies in Mauritius to keep the species thriving on the island," she says.

According to reports, an exported captive-bred monkey can generate Mauritius over R36 000 and a feral monkey about R14 500. Monkeys are exported as cargo in small wooden crates, primarily on Air France aircraft. The BUAV has led an international campaign against the transportation of primates by air, which has resulted in many of the world's carriers ending their involvement, including American Airlines, British Airways, United Airlines, Northwest Airlines, South African Airways, Delta Airlines, Eva Air and China Airlines. Air France is the only known remaining passenger airline to continue the transportation of primates destined for the research industry.

## What can readers do to help?

MAURITIUS is an important holiday destination for South Africans. Between January and September 2014, around 65 000 people from South Africa visited the island. As a tourist or visitor, it is so important to let the Mauritius Tourism Promotion Authority (MTPA) know how unhappy people are about the cruel trade. Send polite e-mails to [mtpa@intnet.mu](mailto:mtpa@intnet.mu). Log onto [www.buav.org/our-campaigns/primate-campaign/mauritius](http://www.buav.org/our-campaigns/primate-campaign/mauritius) or <http://saveourmonkeys.com/eng> for more information on Save Our Monkeys. Like them on Facebook at <https://www.facebook.com/saveourmonkeys> or follow them on Twitter at <https://twitter.com/saveourmonkeys>.

# Animal News

BY EUGENIA BOOI

## SAYING GRACE

A LONG-TAILED macaque (*Macaca fascicularis*) is seen joining hands in a prayer-like fashion at Mount Batur in Bali, Indonesia. The monkey saw food that was left by tourists and, apparently, thanked God for his find. Amen!



## SNOW-WHITE KANGAROO

ZOOKEEPERS eagerly awaiting the first appearance of a baby kangaroo were shocked and delighted to discover the new arrival was actually a rare albino. White kangaroos are extremely unusual and rarely live to adulthood in the wild because they are easy to spot and therefore easy prey for hunters. Two years ago, an albino kangaroo that had survived in the wild to adulthood made international headlines after being seen near Canberra in Australia. The snow-white marsupial was photographed by rangers in the vast Namadgi national park.



Incidents of cruelty, abuse or the neglect of animals can be reported to every SPCA, a full list of which with contact details can be found on [www.nspca.co.za](http://www.nspca.co.za)

**Do you have a story for Animal News by Eugenia Booi (with pictures) you would like to share with us? E-mail [eugeniab@caxton.co.za](mailto:eugeniab@caxton.co.za) and write Animal in the subject line. We will give you R500 if your story is published!**

# Take Me Home

This week we have some adorable dogs from Irwin Animal Rescue.

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- \* Do you have a safe and secure home for the new addition?
- \* Do you have the time and money to look after a pet?

- \* Will you love and care for this animal at all times?
- \* Will the animal fit in with your other pets?
- \* Ensure the breed is one that suits you and your family.
- \* Do you have enough space for the pet to run around?
- \* Do you have kids? If yes, take the correct security measures before adopting.



Cross



Trixie



Sally



Shadow



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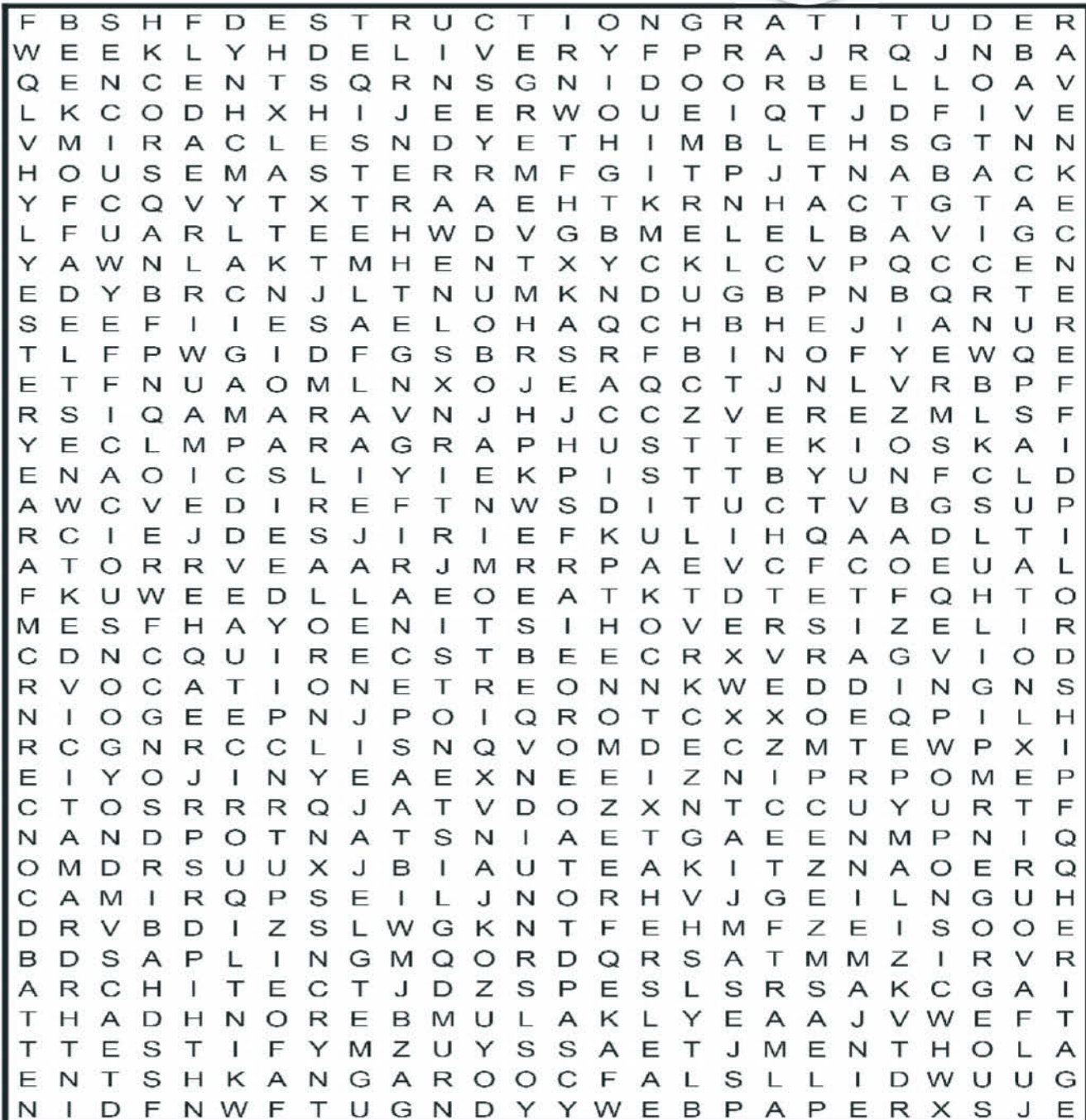
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Can you find the listed words in the box of letters? They may read horizontally, vertically and diagonally, either forwards or backwards, but always in straight lines.

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ADVISORY  
AFTERNOON  
ARCHITECT  
ASSERTIVE  
BACK  
BATTEN  
BIRDSONG  
BOUNDARY  
BRASH  
CASH  
CENT  
CHARITY  
CHEESE  
CITATION  
CONCERN  
DELIVERY

DESTRUCTION  
DIFFERENCE  
DOCK  
DOORBELL  
DRAMATIC  
EFFICACIOUS  
ELECTIVE  
EMERGE  
EVENT  
FALLACY  
FAVOURITE  
FENCE  
FEVER  
FOUNTAIN  
FREEZE  
GLISTEN  
GORGEOUS

GRATITUDE  
HEAVY  
HEEL  
HERCULEAN  
HERITAGE  
HICCUP  
HOUSEMASTER  
IDEAL  
IGNORANCE  
IMAGINE  
INSTANT  
INVENTION  
JASMINE  
JESTER  
JUSTICE  
KANGAROO  
KELP

KIOSK  
KITTEN  
LEASE  
LIQUORICE  
LORDSHIP  
LOVER  
LUMBER  
MAGICAL  
MENTHOL  
MIRACLES  
MOUTH  
NEMESIS  
NESTLED  
ORBITAL  
OVERSIZE  
PAPER  
PARAGRAPH

PERCEIVE  
PICKET  
PLEASANT  
QUIRE  
RACE  
RAGTIME  
RANSOM  
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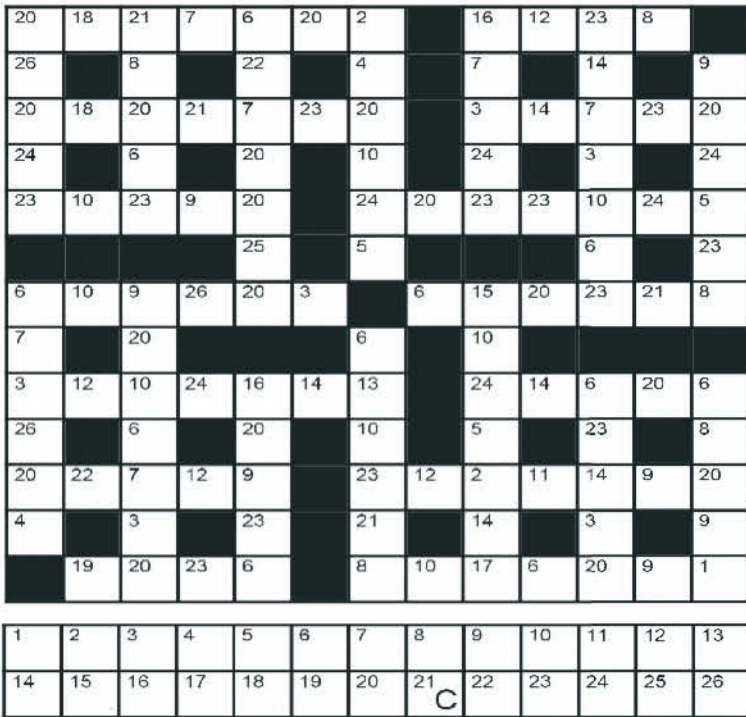
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VOCAL  
VOCATION  
WARDEN  
WATERMELON  
WEDDING  
WEEKLY  
WHIRL  
WINTER  
YAWN  
YESTERYEAR





# CODEBREAKER

CODEBREAKERS require inspired guesswork. They are crosswords without clues. Every letter of the alphabet is used (you might find it useful to cross out the letters located by the grid as you find them) and each letter has its own number. In this puzzle '21' has the letter 'C', so a useful start is to insert 'C' in all the boxes that contain the number '21'. Vowels appear at least once in a word but letters such as 'X' and 'Z' are few.



## NUMBERSEARCH

WITHIN this grid are hidden the numbers below. They are found horizontally, vertically, diagonally and back-to-front.

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## NUMBER CRUNCH

STARTING from the left with the given number, work your way across each of the puzzles, applying the instruction in each cell to your number.

$$\begin{array}{r} 1 \mid 4 \mid + \mid 1 \mid 3 \mid = \mid 0 \mid 7 \mid \\ + \quad \quad + \quad \quad + \\ \mid 3 \mid + \mid 4 \mid 8 \mid = \mid 1 \mid 9 \mid \\ \hline 2 \mid 3 \mid + \mid 6 \mid 1 \mid = \mid 4 \mid 9 \mid \end{array}$$

## Celeb Crossword...



## Across

- US actor, whose movie roles include Peeta Mellark in *The Hunger Games* series of films, Carl Munro in *RV* and Laser Allgood in *The Kids Are All Right* (4,10)
- Stage name of US singer/songwriter born 'Peter Gene Hernandez', whose hits include *Just The Way You Are* and *Grenade* (5,4)
- See 3 Down
- Apollo 13*, *Twister*, *Aliens*, *True Lies* and *Titanic* are movies in which this US actor, who stars in the television series *Big Love* and *Hatfields & McCoy's*, appeared (4,6)
- Benji Dunn in the *Mission: Impossible* film series, Montgomery Scott in *Star Trek* and its sequel *Star Trek Into Darkness*, and Thompson in *The Adventures Of Tintin: The Secret Of The Unicorn* are movie roles played by this English actor, comedian and screenwriter (5,4)

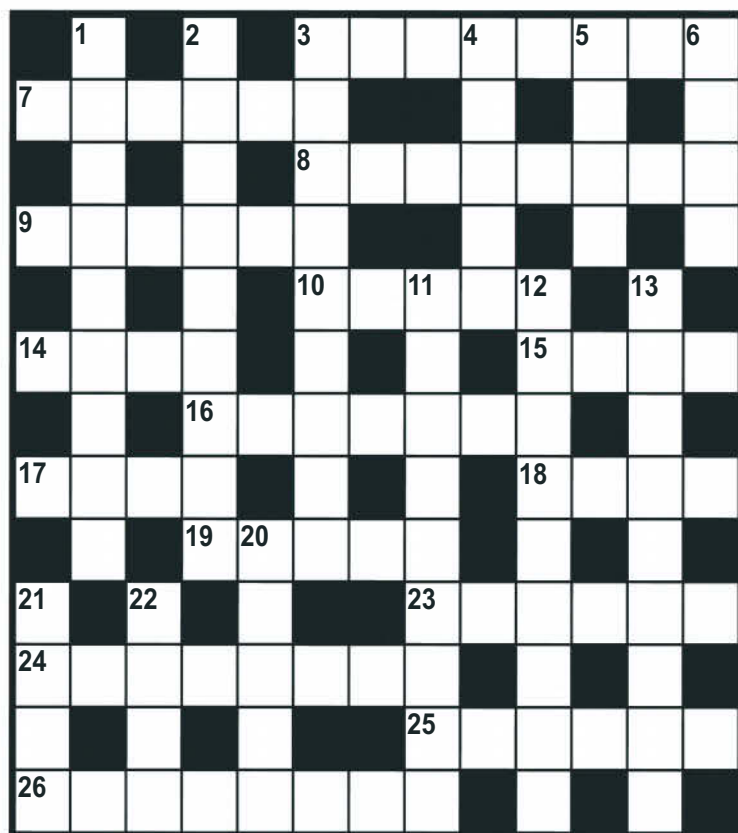
## Down

- English actor, writer and comedian who starred in and wrote the films *Bruno*, *Borat* and *Ali G Indahouse* (5,5,5)
- What You Waiting For?*, *Rich Girl* and *Hollaback Girl* are among the hits of this US singer/songwriter, who also played the role of Jean Harlow in the 2004 film *The Aviator* (4,7)
- His performance as Salvatore 'Sal' Frangione in *Do The Right Thing* earned this US Actor, whose movies include *Hudson Hawk*, *The Purple Rose Of Cairo* and *Moonstruck*, an Academy Award nomination (5,6)
- Boyd Swan in the 2014 *Fury*, Jack Bondurant in *Lawless*, Sam Witwicky in the *Transformers* series of films and Jacob 'Jake' Moore in *Wall Street: Money Never Sleeps*, are movie roles played by this US actor (4,7)
- Fourteen-time Academy Award-nominated US actor and director Warren \_\_\_\_\_, whose movie roles include Bugsy Siegel in *Bugsy*, Lyle Rogers in *Ishtar* and John Reed in *Reds* (6)
- Canadian-born actress and writer who was nominated for the Academy Award for Best Writing (Original Screenplay) for her film *My Big Fat Greek Wedding* (3,8)





# CRYPTIC CROSSWORD



## Across

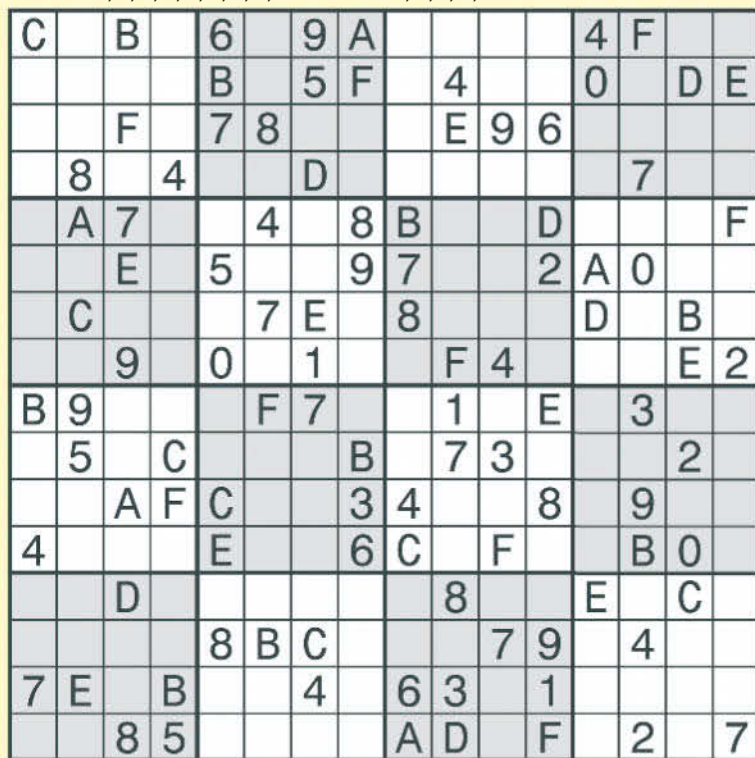
3. Re those strange guests – have their movements noted! (8)
7. It depends how you fire a little saint – it could mean trouble! (6)
8. Is this a 'no-no' in the photographic business? (8)
9. I'm with most people! It's both annoying and unsightly (6)
10. That's right! Snakes are to be seen in files (5)
14. Read about how expensive it has become (4)
15. You should lift your hat to this state (4)
16. It's true! 'Sus' it out! It will have you in stitches! (7)
17. More than one of 9 across and you'll get the cane (4)
18. Look slyly both ways (4)
19. Those dancers have their own form of transport (5)
23. I meet an angel – a sympathetic one (6)
24. Tim and Marie appear to be all at sea (8)
25. I was staggered on seeing it recorded in all three ledgers (6)
26. As I sleep in the car he puts it back! (8)

## Down

1. Be decent, Sir! Such harshness of tone! (9)
2. How is Ed to handle a press release which scatters them? (9)
3. We have great need of getting it produced (9)
4. 1 000 ways to part and take to the road (5)
5. I run about and destroy things (4)
6. Looks for bishops' territories (4)
11. We don't know them and Gran's having a rest (9)
12. Put the cat out and that finished it! Should be hung for that! (9)
13. Became torn having been created in Los Angeles initially (9)
20. More for an actor who has little work (5)
21. A ruler with some miracles to his credit (4)
22. How to part a snare (4)

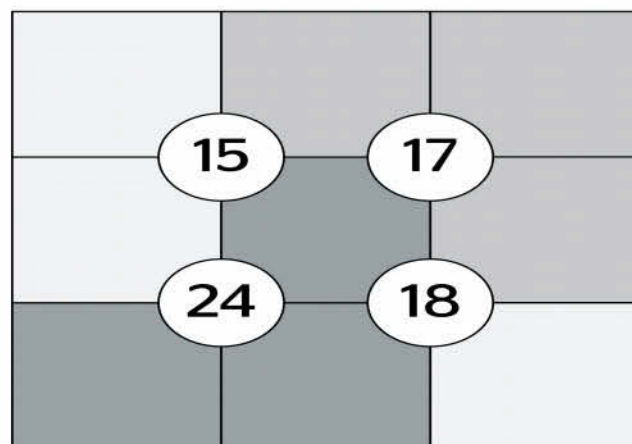
# MONSTER SUDOKU

COMPLETE the grid so that every row, column and 4x4 box contains 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9 and a, b, c, d, e and f.



# SUKO

Place the numbers 1 to 9 in the spaces so that the number in each circle is equal to the sum of the four surrounding spaces, and each colour total is correct.



## SCRAMBLERS

Unscramble the letters within each rectangle to form four ordinary words. Then rearrange the boxed letters to form the mystery word, which will complete the gag!

Super  
TAGER  
Wild  
FRALE  
Touch  
SCARES  
Place  
RESTIN

TODAY'S WORD



"Boy, did I ever have a lunch hour?"

## STICKLERS

How many different lines are there?



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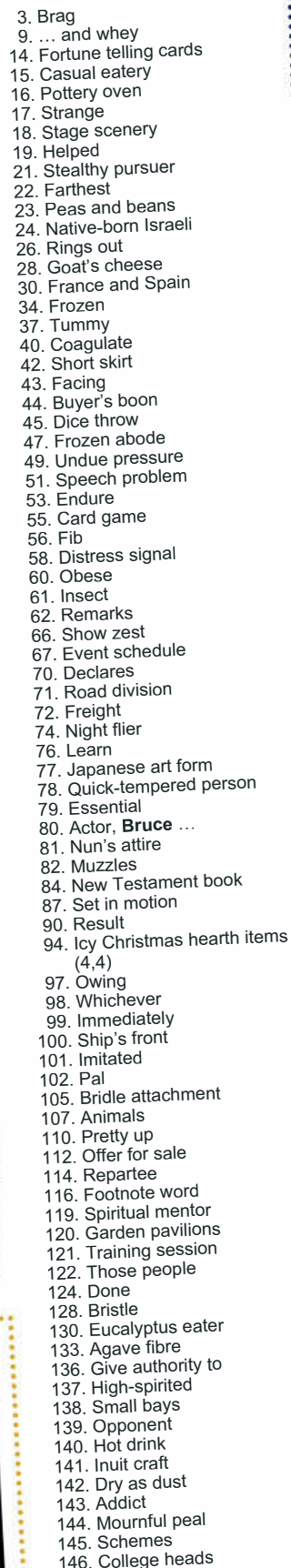
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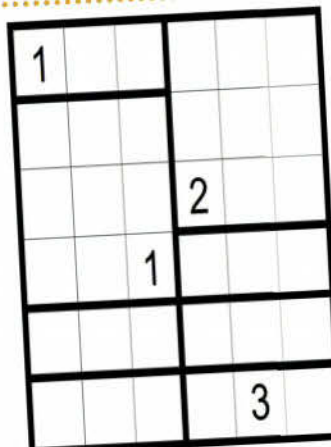
## ACROSS



**PLACE** a number in the empty boxes in such a way that each row across, each column down and each small 9-box square contains all of the numbers from one to nine.



**TATAMI** is a 6x6 grid logic game played with the numbers 1 to 3. Each 3x3 slab must contain all the numbers 1-3 with no duplicates. Adjacent slabs cannot contain the same number, i.e. the number 3 cannot be placed next to another number 3. Each row and column must contain a double set of numbers (two 1s, two 2s and two 3s).





# DOWN

1. Chess piece
2. Kind of cabbage
4. Puccini work
5. Abrade
6. Plaid fabric
7. Refuse to accept
8. With hands on hips
9. Necklace fasteners
10. Join forces
11. Reside
12. Out of the ordinary
13. Gentle wind
18. Autocrat
20. Blueprint
25. Witch's concoction
27. Resting on
28. Was furious
29. Fit of temper
31. Fireplace accessory
32. Insinuate
33. Actor, ... **Cage**
35. Became less clear
36. Edible seaweed
38. Unruly crowd
39. Hammer's target
40. Drinking vessels
41. Fall asleep, ... off
46. Atoll component
48. Egg on
50. Wrongdoings
52. Exploit
54. Consumed food
55. Major portion
57. Greek letter
59. Balance
60. More distant (7,2)
61. Tavern
63. Round of applause
64. Itinerant worker
65. Hypodermic device
67. Convincing quality
68. Type of sport
69. Causing confusion
73. ... de Cologne
75. Porker's abode
82. Showy trinket
83. Goddess of mischief
85. Rickety boat
86. Untidy person
88. Have an effect on
89. Mid-month time
90. Granola bit
91. Dig up
92. Eastern daylight time
93. Female sheep
95. Pitcher
96. Not clear
101. Be jealous of
103. Insects
104. Guiding principle
106. Showy flower
108. Steam bath
109. Taxi
111. Type of squash
113. Routine (3-2-3)
114. Science lab vessel
115. Variable star
117. Borrower's burden
118. Tribulation
119. Fuel
123. Church songbook
124. Pieces of furniture
125. Comfort
126. One of a kind
127. Dropped clues
129. Tell secrets
131. Bay window
132. ... said, soonest mended
134. Squirrel away
135. Weighed down

# EVEN EXCHANGE

EACH numbered row contains two clues and two answers. The two answers differ from each other by only one letter, which has already been inserted. For example, if you exchange the A from MASTER for an I, you get MISTER. Do not change the order of the letters.

1. Country	— A —	Impulsive idea	— O —
2. Snow fragment	— — K —	Bright flame	— — R —
3. Public sale of goods	— — — — L	Keep	— — — — N
4. Summer shoe	S — — —	Hooligan	V — — —
5. Comb's partner	— — U —	Hasty	— — A —
6. Bell's invention	— H — —	Inclined to	— R — —
7. Preacher	— A — —	Human being	— E — —
8. Twig	— — I —	Immovable	— — U —
9. Toffee or gumdrop	C — — —	Convenient	H — — —
10. Make you laugh	— I — —	Take down in football	— A — —

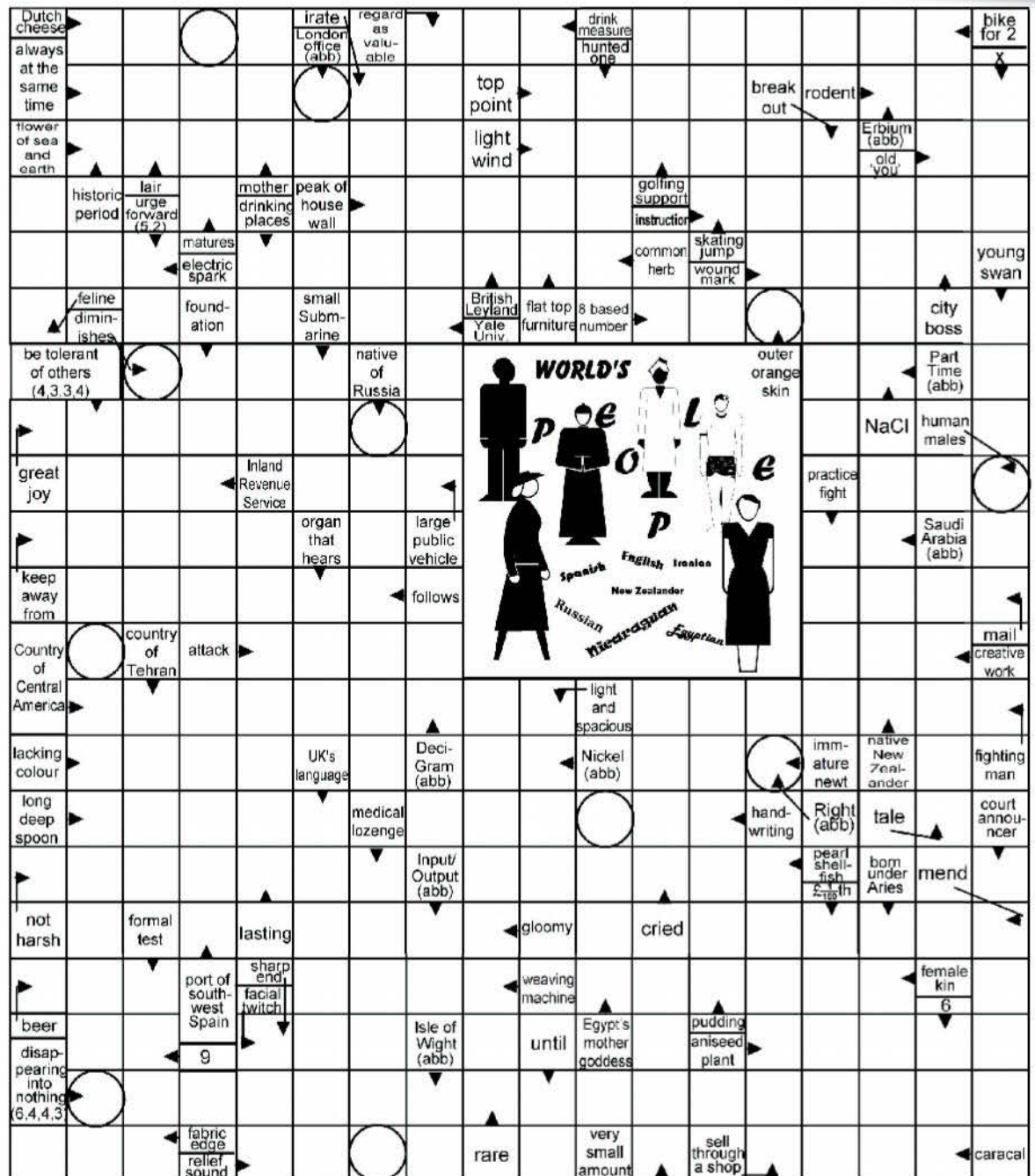
## BLOCKWORD

**NO. 591**

BY BARRIE THOMSON

**WIN R500**

TO ENTER this BLOCKWORD, all you have to do is finish the grid, and the ringed areas will make up one word. The clue to the answer is: Plan B. Sms 48408 with the answer, your name and surname, and **people**/Blockword No. 591. Be sure to sms before May 11, 2015. By doing this, you could win R500. Winner of Blockword 587: Aletta Opperman. Answer: Compacted. Winners will be paid electronically. Ssms charged at R1.50 and free smses do not apply. Terms and conditions apply.



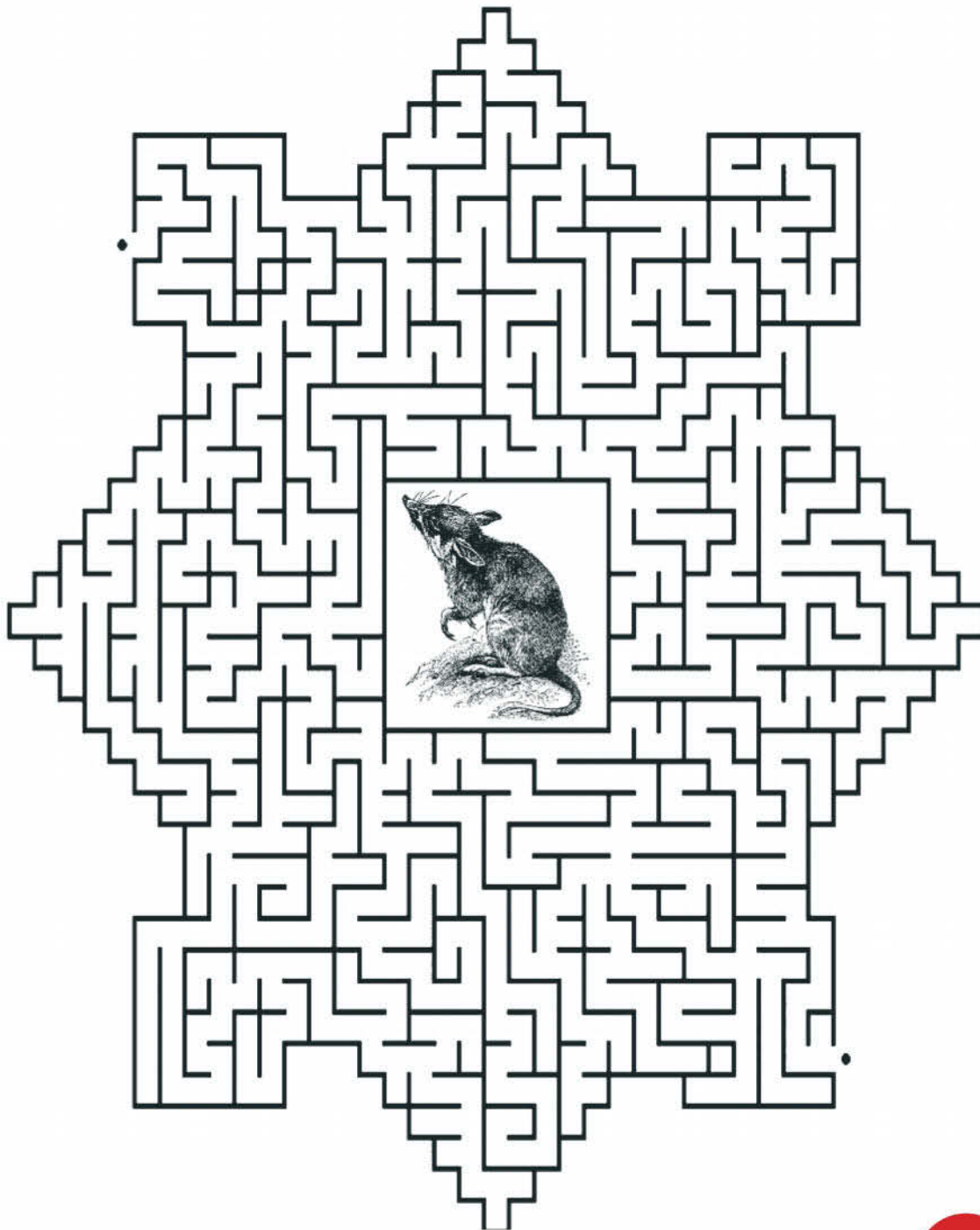
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# Mega Maze



## SUGARU

	3			
				3
3		4		
4		3		2

EACH cell in an outlined block must contain a digit: a two-cell block contains the digits 1 and 2, a three-cell block contains the digits 1, 2 and 3; and so on. No same digit appears in any neighbouring cell, not even diagonally.

## MISSING LINKS

**CALCULATE** the results and actions. Fill the missing links from the top.

RESULT	ACTION
	3 x
=	+ 4
= 52	-
=	x 75
= 600	÷
=	+ 12
= 18	x
=	+ 56
= 560	÷
=	- 8
= 6	÷
=	x 165
= 495	

## FIND-A-WORD

Ascorbic Acid	Food	Riboflavin
B-Complex	Fruit	Supplement
Biotin	Function	Thiamine
Carotene	Health	Variety
Cholecalciferol	Meat	Vegetables
Cyanocobalamin	Milk	
Diet	Natural	
Enzymes	Niacin	
Fish	Nutrients	
Folic Acid	Pantothenic	
	Acid	
	Pyridoxine	
	Retinol	

L V D P Y R I D O X I N E F P  
O E I N T L O N I T E R U A A  
R G C A E F E S I N B N S T N  
E E A T I I S E U T C C N N T  
F T C U R S N T E T O E T I O  
I A I R A H R N I R M I H V T  
C B L A V I E O B E P T B A H  
L L O L E T N I L K L I M L E  
A E F N O I C P C A E T I F N  
C S T R A A P E E A X E L O I  
E S A C C U R H F R U I T B C  
L C I I S E T O F O O D A I A  
O N D L A E N Z Y M E S E R C  
H I F L E N I M A I H T M E I  
C Y A N O C O B A L A M I N D

ON SALE  
NOW!



## WORDOKU

THERE are 9 letters used within the puzzle, each letter must be used (but never repeated) in every row, column and 3x3 square.

			L	V	E
			H		
		Q	X	B	O
B	H			O	
C		L	E	X	
	L				
E	B		X	C	
O				L	B





# GO FIGURE

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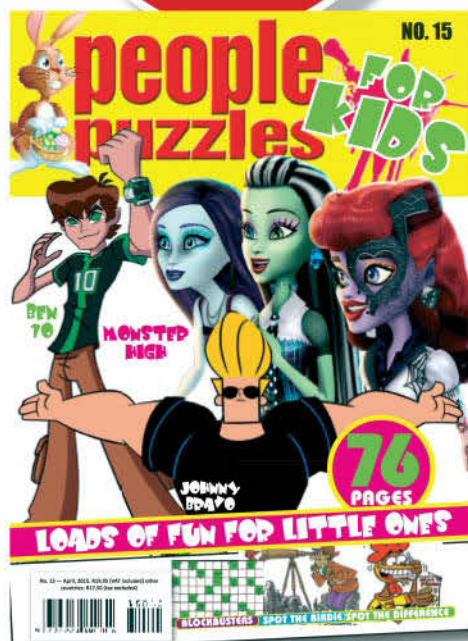
idea of Go

Figure is to arrive at the figures given at the bottom and right-hand columns of the diagram – by following the arithmetic signs in the order they are given (from left to right and top to bottom). Use only the right numbers below the diagram to complete its blank squares, and use each of the nine numbers only once.

	X		-		21
+		÷		X	
	-		X		30
X		+		-	
	X		+		23
20		17		23	

1 2 3 5 6 7 7 8 9

ON SALE  
NOW!



# Killer Kakuru

FILL the grid so that each block adds up to the total in the box above or to the left of it. You can only use the digits 1-9 and you must not use the same digit twice in a block. (The same digit may occur more than once in a row or column, but it must be in a separate block.)

	13	17	23	7		25	4		21	3
21					4			6		
13					3			4		
	34				17		4			
3			6	3	30		13			4
10					14			6		
		21	4				10			
	3	8			15	35	4		16	4
6				16			10			
28			3				7	24	3	
	4	3			34					14
7				14			21			
3				16			15			

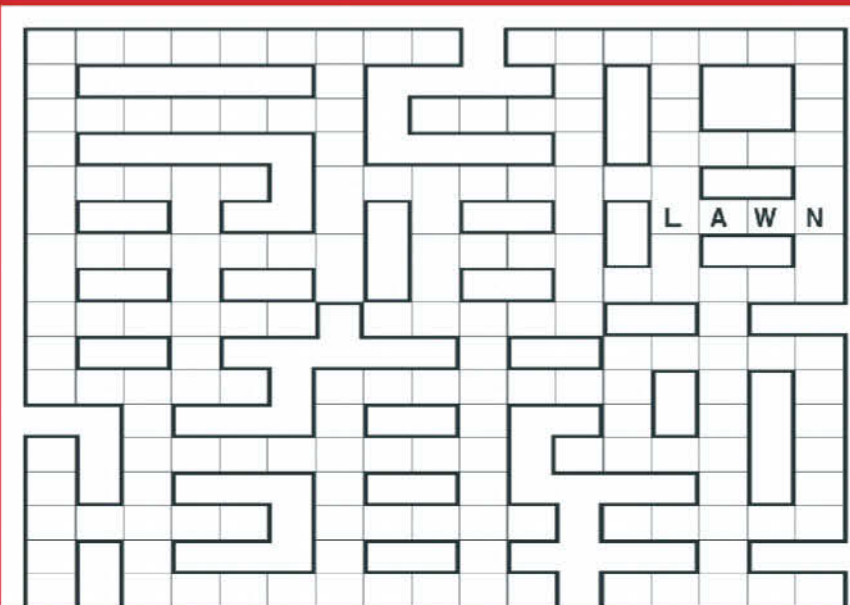
# Arrow Word

Worship	Stupid	▼	Number of people banded together	▼	De-mented	... Khan, Islamic leader	▼	Chaos	▼	Compe- tent	US novelist, Harriet ...	▼	'Wish You Were ...', song	▼
▶	▶	▶	▶	▶	Surprise attack	▶	▶	▶	▶	▶	▶	▶	▶	▶
Plants of a region			Control, direct	▶										
▶	▶	▶	▶	▶	Orange drink	▶	▶	▶	▶	Kate ... TV journalist	▶	▶	▶	▶
▶	▶	▶	▶	▶	Beautiful women	▶	▶	▶	▶	Appre- hension	▶	▶	▶	▶
Leave in the lurch			Fine fabric	▶	Dashing fellow	▶	▶	▶	▶				Perfect	▶
In front		Raised river bank	▶	▶						Auto- mobile	▶	Indian state	▶	▶
▶	▶	▶	▶	▶	Small group w common interest	▶	▶	▶	▶	Prefix for one million	▶	▶	▶	▶
High- brow	Tempera- ment	Offer	▶	Dame ... Laine, singer	▶	▶	▶	▶	▶	Alien craft? (inits)	▶	▶	▶	▶
▶	▶	▶	▶	▶	▶	▶	▶	▶	▶	▶	▶	▶	▶	▶
Active volcano in Sicily			Belong- ing to him	▶						Round, flat plate	▶	Dregs	▶	▶
▶	▶	▶	▶	▶	Former US girl group	▶	▶	▶	▶	Oddly funny	▶	▶	▶	▶
High in pitch			Police officer's jacket	▶								Italian article	▶	▶
▶	▶	▶	▶	▶	▶	▶	▶	▶	▶	▶	▶	▶	▶	▶
... Sykes, comedian										Bargain events	▶			
▶	▶	▶	▶	▶	Word puzzle direction	▶	▶	▶	▶	▶	▶	▶	▶	▶



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## 4 LETTERS

ATOM  
COOP  
EMMA  
HALF  
~~LAWN~~  
WADI

## 5 LETTERS

ACUTE  
AGAPE  
ALBUM  
BLOKE  
BRAWN  
DEATH  
DOZEN

## DRESS

ELIDE  
POWER

## 6 LETTERS

AFRAID  
ENOUGH  
REGION

## 7 LETTERS

BEDROLL  
CAMBRIC  
DISBAND  
DISTANT  
DORMICE  
SIBLING  
ZEALOUS

## 8 LETTERS

ANCESTOR  
APPRAISE  
ARGUABLE  
BACHELOR  
CONFINED

## 9 LETTERS

AMPHIBIAN  
ARTHRITIS  
DISPLEASE  
STEADFAST

## 10 LETTERS

AMALGAMATE

## 11 LETTERS

DISMEMBERED

## Spot The Difference!

AT first glance, these two pictures may look identical. But there are some subtle changes in the second picture. See if you can find the six differences.



## Celeb Wordmatch

FIND A WORD that can follow the word on the left and precede the word on the right. When you have filled in all the answers, the name of a celebrity can be read from top to bottom in one of the lines.

GIANT							RING
BUTTERNUT							COURT
SWISS							BURGER
DRY							BOUND
WATER							FODDER
SAND							BILL
MAJOR							TABLE
FISH							BELL
DOOR							FIGHTER
STICKY							NOSED
PUBLIC							CLUB
HAND							DOWN

## Wishing Well...

HERE is a pleasant little game that will give you a message every day. It's a numerical puzzle designed to spell out your fortune. Count the letters in your first name. If the number of letters is 6 or more, subtract 4. If the number is less than 6, add 3. The result is your key number. Start at the upper left-hand corner and check one of your key numbers, left to right. Then read the message the letters under the checked figures give you.

6	3	7	6	5	6	7	6	3	8	5	4	6
A	F	V	L	D	E	A	R	U	S	O	F	T
7	8	5	7	6	2	3	7	8	7	3	2	7
L	E	R	U	N	Y	N	E	E	Q	T	O	U
4	3	4	7	4	7	2	5	8	6	5	8	3
U	I	N	I	A	E	U	E	K	E	S	T	M
8	7	2	4	2	7	3	7	4	7	5	4	7
H	T	W	F	I	T	E	I	T	M	E	E	E
6	3	6	4	8	2	5	6	8	6	7	6	8
S	S	S	R	E	L	A	P	T	A	S	Y	R
2	8	3	6	3	8	6	5	4	6	3	5	2
L	U	A	S	H	T	O	R	H	F	E	C	G
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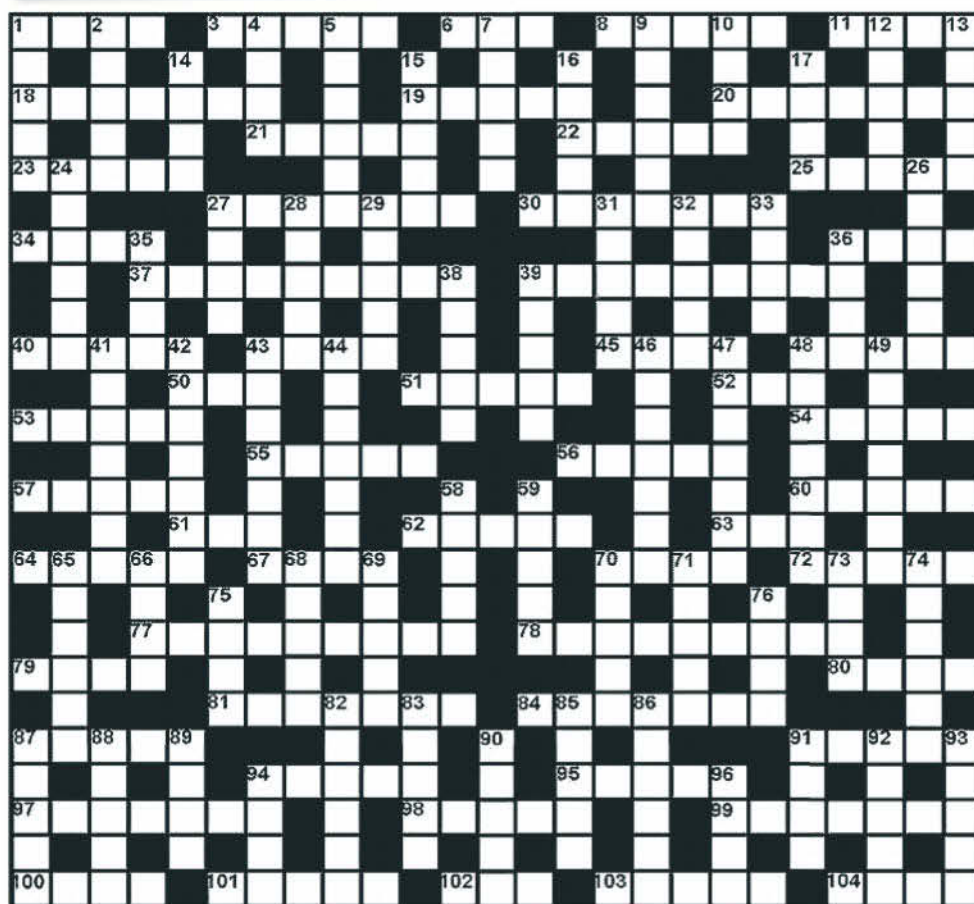




# MATHS QUIZ



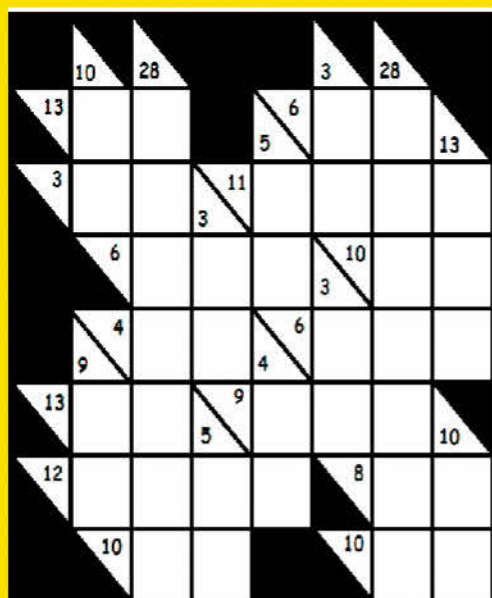
# CROSSWORD



- ACROSS**
- 1.  $1032 \div 3$
  - 4.  $1170 \div 5$
  - 7.  $919 - 68$
  - 10.  $1484 \div 7$
  - 12.  $4340 \div 7$
  - 14.  $29 \times 3$
  - 15.  $2052 \div 4$
  - 17.  $17 \times 3$
  - 18.  $1130 \div 5$
  - 20.  $2050 \div 5$
  - 23.  $245 - 22$
  - 25.  $386 + 156$
  - 27.  $1854 \div 2$
  - 29.  $5 \times 5$
  - 30.  $2692 \div 4$
  - 32.  $513 \div 9$
  - 33.  $1428 \div 7$
  - 34.  $312 \div 3$
- DOWN**
- 2.  $337 + 145$
  - 3.  $5 \times 9$
  - 5.  $2212 \div 7$
  - 6.  $47 + 81$
  - 8.  $808 \div 8$
  - 9.  $510 - 9$
  - 11.  $1204 \div 7$
  - 13.  $1250 \div 5$
  - 15.  $7 \times 8$
  - 16.  $3078 \div 9$
  - 19.  $2044 \div 7$
  - 21.  $203 - 64$
  - 22.  $456 \div 3$
  - 23.  $273 - 36$
  - 24.  $559 - 82$
  - 26.  $277 + 175$
  - 28.  $2286 \div 9$
  - 30.  $8 \times 8$
  - 31.  $62 \div 2$

# KAKURU

**FIT** only the numbers 1 to 9 into the grid so that each horizontal run of white squares adds up to the total above the diagonal line to the left of the run, and so that each vertical run of white squares adds up to the total below the diagonal line above the run. No number can be used more than once in any run.



## ACROSS

- 1) Food production area (4)
- 3) Use badly (5)
- 6) Peculiar (3)
- 8) Organ controls (5)
- 11) Fencing sword (4)
- 18) Accurately assess size (7)
- 19) Member of a major world religion (5)
- 20) Reach a target (7)
- 21) Backbone (5)
- 22) Frightening (5)
- 23) Satisfies (5)
- 25) Vote in (5)
- 27) Master musician (7)
- 30) Overwhelm with surprise (7)
- 34) Measure of surface (4)
- 36) Mentally healthy (4)
- 37) Creature from a chrysalis (9)
- 39) Type of yellow pumpkin (9)
- 40) Colour of purity (5)
- 43) Remain (4)
- 45) Machine setting (4)
- 48) Dwelling place (5)
- 50) Insect of a hill (3)

- 51) Horse carer (5)
- 52) Local area network (3)
- 53) Passenger ship (5)
- 54) Representative (5)
- 55) Similar (5)
- 56) Performs correctly (5)
- 57) Name of a book (5)
- 60) Annual periods (5)
- 61) Observe (3)
- 62) Military sword (5)
- 63) Donkey (3)
- 64) Put into a new casing (5)
- 67) Small remainder (4)
- 70) Very slim (4)
- 72) Finished (5)
- 77) Tingle someone with excitement (9)
- 78) Respond by doing harm (9)
- 79) ---- and pans (4)
- 80) Heavy horsedrawn cart (4)
- 81) Unit of magnetic flux (7)
- 84) Frightening creature (7)
- 87) Walk proudly (5)
- 91) Even more satisfactory (5)
- 94) Short-tailed lemur (5)

- 95) Expression of contempt and disappointment (5)
- 97) Very much on view (7)
- 98) Courage (5)
- 99) Encourage (7)
- 100) Harbour (4)
- 101) Eating dish (5)
- 102) Copy (3)
- 103) Placed at an angle (5)
- 104) Display (4)

## DOWN

- 1) Noxious gases (5)
- 2) Cook over open flames (5)
- 4) Honey makers (4)
- 5) Steps within a building (6)
- 7) Railway carriage to eat in (5)
- 9) Red fruit-like vegetable (6)
- 10) Perform on an instrument (4)
- 12) Small part of something (5)
- 13) Upright (5)
- 14) Pay excessive attention (4)
- 15) Belonging to them (5)
- 16) Thinks deeply (5)
- 17) Protection for a hoof (4)
- 24) Once again (6)
- 26) Very open and honest (6)
- 27) Cut out the sound (4)
- 28) Force out quickly (5)
- 29) Having clumps of cut threads (5)
- 31) Important tribal object (5)
- 32) Set on its end (5)
- 33) Dip briefly into a hot drink (4)
- 35) Be adjacent to (4)

- 36) Remainder of a cigarette (4)
- 38) Long (for) (5)
- 39) Burst into flower (5)
- 41) Sets on fire (7)
- 42) Very serious (7)
- 43) Cooked over boiling water (7)
- 44) Old and valued (7)
- 46) Large flightless bird (7)
- 47) Blissful (7)
- 48) Examine in detail (7)
- 49) Number to be used in a mathematical function (7)
- 58) Worth (5)
- 59) Mistake (5)
- 65) Sell outside the country (6)
- 66) Foodstuff that has been prepared (4)
- 68) Take it easy (5)
- 69) Fruit to make a raisin (5)
- 70) Moon of Saturn and a Greek god (5)
- 71) Valley filled by the sea (5)
- 73) Requirement (4)

- 74) Make angry (6)
- 75) Small part of an element (4)
- 76) Just (4)
- 82) Having the greatest width (6)
- 83) Telling untruths (5)
- 85) Desert water holes (5)
- 86) Very safe (6)
- 87) Take a nap (5)
- 88) More mature (5)
- 89) Rubbish (4)
- 90) Waste material (5)
- 91) Apartment (4)
- 92) Nick used as a tally (5)
- 93) Start over (5)
- 94) False god (4)
- 96) Avoid (4)



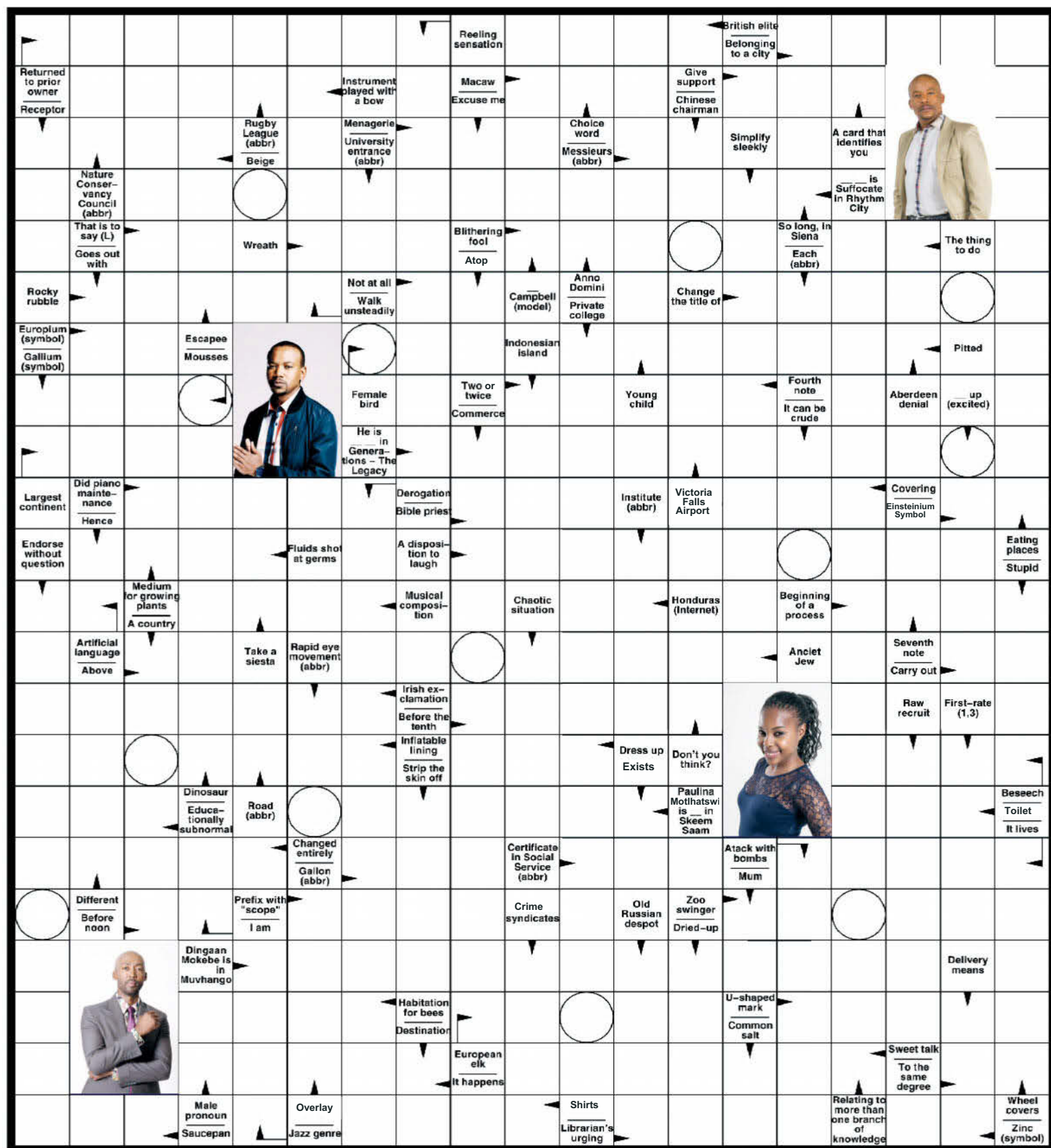
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TO ENTER this SOAP BLOCKWORD, all you have to do is finish the grid. When completed the scrambled letters will spell out the answer for the clue: An actor in *Isibaya*. Sms 48408 with the answer, your name and surname, as well as **people**/Soap Blockword No. 572. Be sure to sms before May 11, 2015. By doing this, you stand the chance of winning R500. Winner of Soap No. 568: Heather Trowell. Answer: Shadrack. Winners will be paid electronically. Ssms charged at R1.50 and free smses do not apply. Terms and conditions apply.



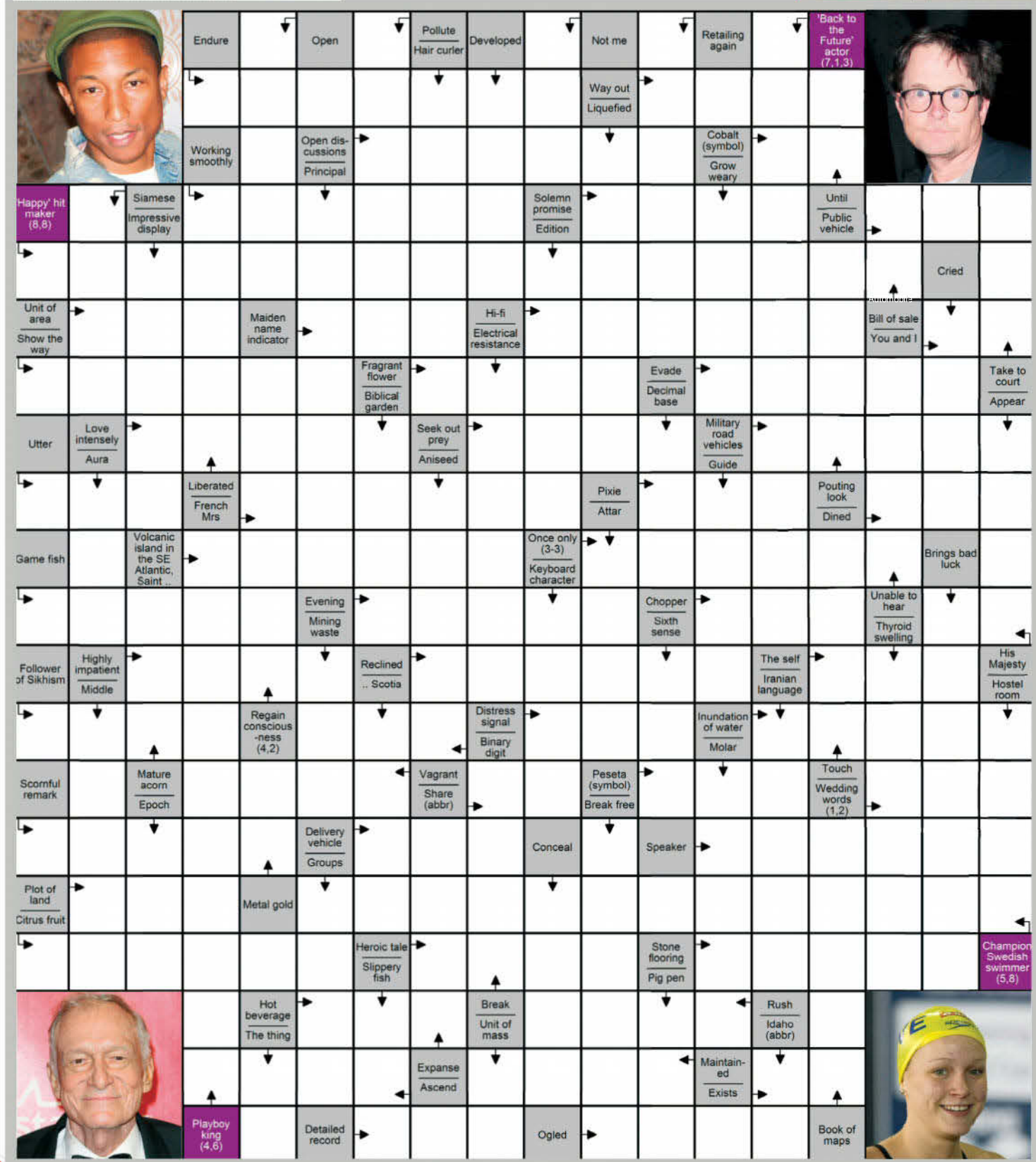


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HYBRID	A GRASS GROWN IN FLOODED PADDY-FIELDS	LIVELY	FEMALE BALLET-DANCER	SWISS MOUNTAINS CLOSED UP		OWNS		SWINDLE	PAPER HAND-KERCHIEF	ESTABLISHED BY LAW
					CAPITAL OF VENEZUELA	CONTEND	PERSON WHO GRANTS A LEASE			
			WRECK				STONE AGE ARTEFACT			SKILFUL
						SWING TO AND FRO				
			APPEAR			INHERENT; ESSENTIAL				
							HIGH TEMPERATURE HARD TO CATCH	HINDU WOMAN'S LONG CLOTH GARMENT	PUT TO A PURPOSE	ABOMINABLE SNOWMAN
MOTIVE	VENTILATED IN OPPOSITION TO				FAILS TO KEEP			TEA ? KATE REYNOLDS IN 'THE FAMILY MAN' (2000)		
ITEM OF CRICKET EQUIPMENT			PERFECT COMPANY OPERATING AIRCRAFT			COVER				
				SEA BETWEEN GREECE AND TURKEY	SINGLE SECTION, ELEMENT OR ITEM			ROBOT IN HUMAN FORM ULTIMO (AB)	MALIGNANT FAIRY-LIKE BEING	HEAD COOK OF A RESTAURANT KITCHEN
GLOWING					CLAPPING OF HANDS TO EXPRESS APPROVAL	LOP; CUT SHORT				
REVERSE			SINGLE (PREFIX) ARTICLE					SCHOOL BAG WITH A SHOULDER STRAP	FEMALE HORSE	SMALL HOLE TO RECEIVE A COIN
	CAPITAL OF SWITZERLAND				UNDERGRADUATES		PROFESSIONAL (AB)	SALT-PETRE		
	NO SCORE						HITS HEAVILY			
					HOFFMAN, CHARLES FROHMAN IN 'FINDING NEVERLAND' (2004)					
DECIMAL BASE	PRICE PAID FOR SERVICES		ONE WHO OPERATES CONTROLS OF AN AIRCRAFT							
FAVOURITE	VERY BIG (PREFIX)				OF THE EAR					
	ENDURE				UNCTUOUS			BILLY ? WILL BLOOM IN 'BIG FISH' (2003)		
				LONG FOOT-RUNNERS FOR GOING ON SNOW						
						RENOUNDED				CHRISTIAN FESTIVAL OF THE RESURRECTION
							HAIRPIECE	PEAKED HAT	A FELLOW; AN EQUAL	OF A BIRD, TO CLEAN AND ARRANGE FEATHERS
							AUNT OR UNCLE'S CHILD		RELATING TO CURRENT AFFAIRS	
THE LION (STAR SIGN)			SWUNG ROUND UNCONTROLLABLY				IN ABUNDANCE			
LAYER OR THICKNESS										
OLYMPIC PRIZE				BUNDLES	CATCH SIGHT OF	WHOLLY PENITENT	METAL SYMBOL 'Fe'	PIN ON WHICH ANYTHING TURNS FLEX		
INTENSELY HUNGRY	REFEREE (AB)		CRIMINAL CHARGE	KIND				MILITARY DINING HALL		
STINKING					CONCERNING NATIONS OR RACES					
						INGENUITY		AIR OR AIRCRAFT (PREFIX)	ADORE	FAST AEROPLANES
							MEDICINE THAT ALLAYS PAIN			CITRUS FRUIT
GAVE SUSTENANCE TO			REMAIN	FRIEND						
			MIMICKED			FIFTY PER CENT		LOCATE	NOURISHMENT	EMPLOYEE LIST WITH ASSIGNED TURNS OF DUTIES







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# Katie Holmes

## Potato Kugel

## Recipe

BY VERA FOURIE



**T**HIS *Dawson's Creek* actress and model graduated from Notre Dame Academy, an all-girls Roman Catholic school in Toledo, Ohio.

She is of course best known for her role in the aforementioned show, but has since appeared in numerous productions, including advertisements for Garnier, Coach and clothing retailer The Gap. **Katie** has also starred opposite A-list celebs like **Michael Keaton**, **Michael Douglas**, **Christian Bale**, **John Lithgow**, **Anna Paquin** and **Josh Duhamel**, and one of her latest projects, a film called *The Giver*, had her working with **Jeff Bridges**, **Meryl Streep** and **Taylor Swift**. **Katie** has claimed that she likes to run six kilometres a couple of times a week to clear her head, which is a good thing, since she reportedly really enjoys starchy foods like potato kugel.

**Date Of Birth**  
December 18, 1978  
**Place Of Birth**  
Toledo, Ohio, USA  
**Birth Name**  
Kate Noelle Holmes  
**Height:**  
1,75m  
**Parents:**  
Kathleen Ann and Martin Joseph Holmes, Sr  
**Siblings:** Sisters Tamera, Holly Ann, and Nancy Kay, and one older brother, Martin Joseph  
**Spouse: Tom Cruise**  
(divorced: 2006 – 2012)  
**Daughter:** Suri Cruise

### Ingredients

8 Medium potatoes (grated)  
2 Medium onions (grated)  
6 Eggs  
½ Cup of oil  
4 Tablespoons of flour  
1 Teaspoon of salt  
1 Teaspoon of pepper

### Method

PREHEAT your oven to 200°C, and grate the potatoes and onions in a large bowl. Mix the eggs, oil, flour, salt and pepper together, and then add the mixture to the potatoes. If there happens to be excess water from the potatoes, squeeze it out with a fork before adding the lot to the flour. Mix until well blended, and pour into a greased 9x13 baking dish, or in patty pans, and bake for approximately an hour or until the top is a nice golden brown and the centre is set. Let it rest for about five minutes and then serve.

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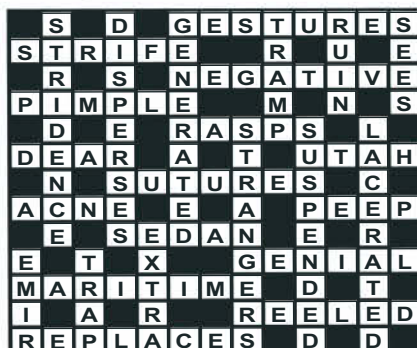


# PUZZLE ANSWERS

## Even Exchange

- Nation, Notion
- Flake, Flare
- Retail, Retain
- Sandal, Vandal
- Brush, Brash
- Phone, Prone
- Parson, Person
- Stick, Stuck
- Candy, Handy
- Tickle, Tackle

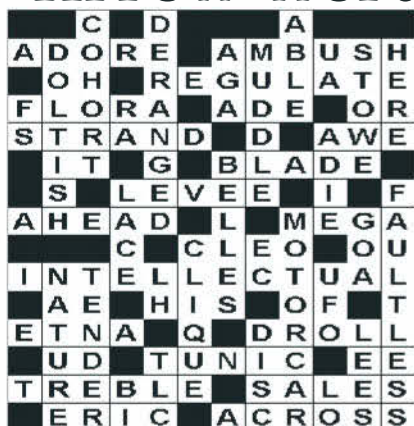
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## Codebreaker



## Arrow Word



## Sudoku

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5	6	4	3	8	9	2	7	1
2	9	8	1	7	5	4	3	6
8	2	1	5	3	6	9	4	7
9	7	5	8	4	1	3	6	2
4	3	6	7	9	2	5	1	8
1	5	9	4	2	7	6	8	3
6	4	3	9	1	8	7	2	5
7	8	2	6	5	3	1	9	4

## Maths Quiz

3	4	4	2	3	4
1	8	5	1	1	5
2	1	2	0	6	2
8	7	5	1	3	5
2	2	6	4	1	0
1	9	2	2	3	4
5	4	2	3	9	2
2	5	6	7	3	5
2	0	4	1	0	4

## Go Figure

3	x	9	-	6	21
+		÷		x	
7	-	1	x	5	30
x		+		-	
2	x	8	+	7	23
20		17		23	

## Killer Kakuru

9	3	8	1		1	3		4	2
4	1	6	2		2	1		3	1
	7	9	4	8	6		3	1	
1	2			9	7	8	1	2	3
3	4	1	2		9	5		5	1
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## Celeb Wordmatch

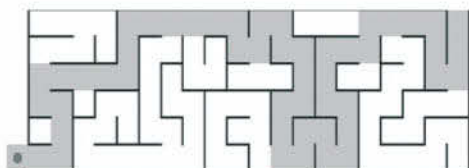
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WATER	C	A	N	N	O	FODDER
SAND	D	O	L	L	A	BILL
MAJOR	L	E	A	G	U	TABLE
FISH	K	E	T	T	L	BELL
DOOR	P	R	I	Z	E	FIGHTER
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## Jumbo Crossword

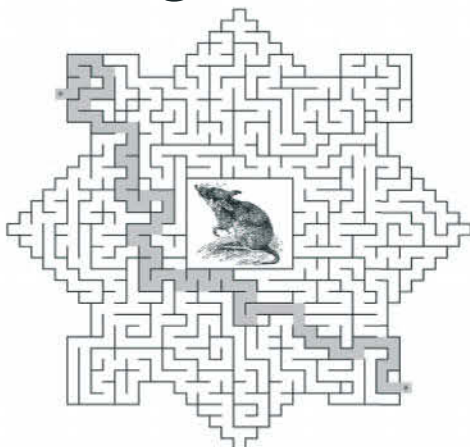
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## Kids Maze



## Mega Maze



## Scramblers

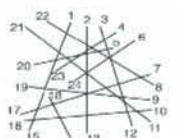
- Great; 2. Feral;
- Caress; 4. Insert

## Today's Word

**FRANTIC**

## Sticklers

There are 12 different lines. One way to solve this is to number the endpoints of each line and then divide by 2.



## Number Crunch

$$\begin{array}{r} 194 + 113 = 307 \\ 43 + 148 = 191 \\ \hline 237 + 261 = 498 \end{array}$$

## Missing Links

3	x	16
48	+	4
52	-	44
8	x	75
600	÷	100
6	+	12
18	x	28
504	+	56
560	÷	40
14	-	8
6	÷	2
3	x	165
495		

## General Knowledge Blockword





## Sugaru

## Monster Sudoku

## Kakuru

## Tatami

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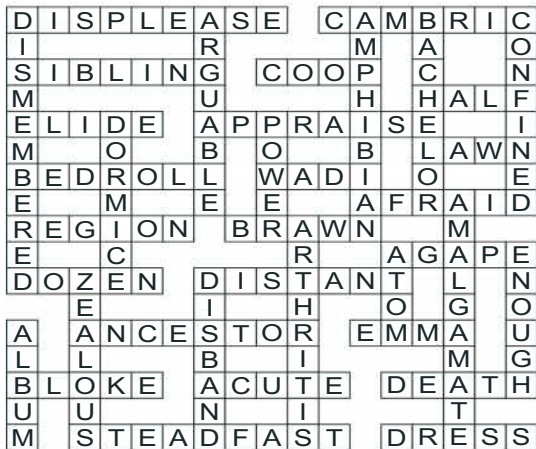
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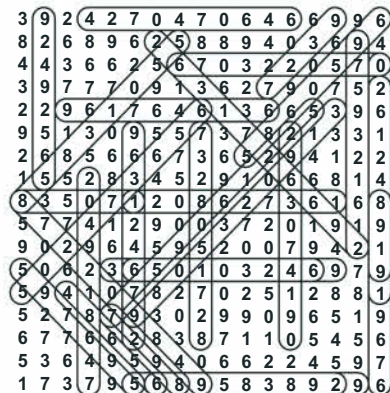
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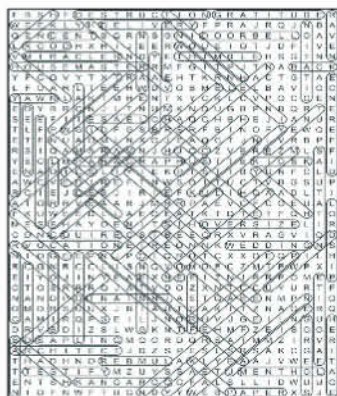
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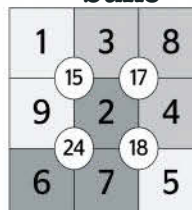
## Giant Wordsearch



## WordDoku



## Suko



## Crossword

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## Spot The Difference

1. Collar is smaller 2. Birdhouse is missing 3. Pot is different 4. Sign is smaller 5. Scarf is different 6. Lamp is missing

## Trivia Answers

TV Trivia 1. Sophie 2. True

3. Archie Leach 4. Hardison's

death 5. Christine Kane

6. Alec 7. 5 8. She doesn't have

one 9. Hardison 10. 1913

Trivia 1. Scotland 2. Nicola

Sturgeon 3. Thomas Carlyle

4. Ten 5. Mary 6. The Chris Hani-

Baragwaneth Hospital in Soweto

7. 3000 8. 1000 9. Hydrogen

10. Honey

Celeb Trivia 1. Zayn Malik

2. True 3. 24 4. Rihanna 5. Taylor

Swift 6. Trevor Noah 7. Calvin

Klein 8. True 9. Khloé 10. True



# Horoscope Taurus

BY WILLIAM SMITH

April 21 – May 20

## ARIES: Mar 21 – Apr 20

**Your Week:** It will pay to stay strongly in tune with your own conscience. You must do things your way, rather than toe somebody else's line. Your personal situation ought to improve immeasurably if you have a definite plan of action to pursue.

**Taken:** Whisper sweet words of love whenever you and your loved one touch – to cultivate closeness that endures.

**Single:** Try being sexy in a subtle manner if you want to attract new admirers.

**Power Days:** Tuesday & Wednesday (private affairs)

**Lucky Numbers:** 6, 8, 10, 15, 23, 39

## LEO: Jul 24 – Aug 23

**Your Week:** Life is fully worth living so don't be afraid of it. Rather resolve to understand the meaning of life. You have your important role to play in the universal scheme. Go after what you desire and determine to enjoy it when you have it.

**Taken:** Always have interesting things to talk about. Underline romance with humour and passion.

**Single:** Brush up your body language technique and smile a lot. Then you are sure to gain admirers.

**Power Days:** Tuesday & Wednesday (family issues)

**Lucky Numbers:** 3, 11, 18, 22, 34, 45

## TAURUS: Apr 21 – May 20

**Your Week:** This is time to get going again; to get on the road that leads to the fulfilment of your dream or plan because your vision is both broad and bright. Put the best of yourself into your endeavours so as to get results that satisfy and endure.

**Taken:** Cultivate a gentle and considerate bearing whenever you are with your sweetheart.

**Single:** Demonstrate the sensuous side of your personality, without coming on too strong.

**Power Days:** Monday & Tuesday (self-promotion)

**Lucky Numbers:** 5, 14, 16, 26, 30, 35

## VIRGO: Aug 24 – Sep 22

**Your Week:** Let your imagination loose because it could put you on the road to an important attainment. You yourself may be surprised to find how creative you can be when your artistic potential is unshackled. Make certain that you are noticed.

**Taken:** Show your partner that you can be an energetic participant in the game of love.

**Single:** Work on your seductive technique if you are hoping to attract loving attention.

**Power Days:** Monday & Tuesday (romantic activity)

**Lucky Numbers:** 8, 10, 15, 18, 27, 34,

## GEMINI: May 21 – Jun 21

**Your Week:** Supposing you are interested in artistic activities, this could be a round in which your creative talents come shining through. At least, you will be drawn to refined social activity or objects of beauty – perhaps even the human kind.

**Taken:** Project a great sense of humour in order to set the scene and delight your true love.

**Single:** Resolve to enhance your image and thereby create a stir when you are socialising.

**Power Days:** Tuesday & Wednesday (money matters)

**Lucky Numbers:** 2, 17, 20, 29, 32, 46

## CANCER: Jun 22 – Jul 23

**Your Week:** Be true to yourself and do what you think is best. If you know that you have done what you had to do, you need not worry about what others might say about you. If you have acted correctly, they will come around to your side again.

**Taken:** Savour fully satisfying and terrific amorous exchanges. Praise your one-and-only's good points.

**Single:** You can now fare pretty well by transmitting an aura of modesty, charm and mystique.

**Power Days:** Monday & Tuesday (agreements)

**Lucky Numbers:** 4, 12, 16, 25, 31, 42

## SCORPIO: Oct 23 – Nov 22

**Your Week:** People who are able to lift your spirits and boost your fortunes are the ones to pursue. You are certain to improve your overall prospects by blending with those who are insightful and adventurous. Go along for the experience and fun.

**Taken:** The onus is firmly on you to make all aspects of your relationship as good as possible.

**Single:** Bear in mind that a good appearance is everything if you are out to have fun.

**Power Days:** Monday & Tuesday (shared tasks)

**Lucky Numbers:** 7, 9, 26, 34, 43, 47

## LIBRA: Sep 23 – Oct 22

**Your Week:** Resolve to live healthily. Improve your diet so as to avoid taking in harmful toxins. Study nutrition with a view to getting yourself into super shape. Vow to maintain a regular exercise programme. Rhythmic movements are recommended.

**Taken:** Be sure to keep yourself in good shape if you want to be adored and appreciated.

**Single:** Life is so much sweeter and exciting now that you are feeling self-confident.

**Power Days:** Tuesday & Wednesday (health plans)

**Lucky Numbers:** 1, 3, 7, 11, 25, 32

## CAPRICORN: Dec 22 – Jan 20

**Your Week:** Enrol for a class or read up on a subject you have always wanted to know more about. Look to the future – and take care of your future by making yourself as qualified as possible to compete successfully against your keenest challengers.

**Taken:** You will find it well worth being both your darling's lover and best friend.

**Single:** Amour now moves at high speed to a happy conclusion if you happen to be heart-free.

**Power Days:** Monday & Tuesday (planning ahead)

**Lucky Numbers:** 5, 10, 24, 26, 28, 37

## SAGITTARIUS: Nov 23 – Dec 21

**Your Week:** You will not be satisfied with being second-best now that you are in a competitive mood. Personal magnetism and a strong urge to win ought to give you an edge over your rivals. Victory depends on you being both dominant and shrewd.

**Taken:** Be extra tender and sensuous when you and your lover are wrapped in each others' arms.

**Single:** Romance now thrives on bold expression so consign modesty and shyness to the sidelines.

**Power Days:** Tuesday & Wednesday (renewed efforts)

**Lucky Numbers:** 4, 11, 19, 30, 36, 49

## AQUARIUS: Jan 21 – Feb 19

**Your Week:** You must gear yourself up to compete effectively at a higher level with regard to favourite activities. If you need to make a notable personal breakthrough, this is an opportune period for raising yourself up mentally and emotionally.

**Taken:** Habitually show the positive side of your personality whenever you are in your beloved's company.

**Single:** Try to be coyly different. This is when the old-fashioned romantic style works for you.

**Power Days:** Tuesday & Wednesday (career aims)

**Lucky Numbers:** 6, 16, 26, 32, 39, 46

## PISCES: Feb 20 – Mar 20

**Your Week:** Close friends are currently particularly supportive, so do not hesitate to ask for any favours you might require. You could attract some new and interesting acquaintances if you earnestly desire and intend widening your social circle.

**Taken:** Let the music play on. Spin some romantic ballads in order keep the amorous mood going.

**Single:** Chances are that you will meet your dream lover if you get out and about more often.

**Power Days:** Monday & Tuesday (group action)

**Lucky Numbers:** 12, 21, 28, 30, 33, 48

## ASTRO PROFILE

### WHAT THE STARS SAY ABOUT...

#### DWAYNE 'THE ROCK' JOHNSON

MAY 2, 1972

**AMERICAN actor and former professional wrestler Dwayne Douglas Johnson wrestled under various names before settling on The Rock, which he took from his father, also a pro wrestler, Rocky Johnson.** He starred for World Wrestling Entertainment from the late '90s until 2003, then switched to action and comedy films such as *The Scorpion King*, *The Game Plan*, *Doom*, *The Mummy Returns*, and *Walking Tall*. A Sun Taurus with the Moon in Sagittarius, he certainly is as hard and tough as a rock, and has adventurous instincts driving him. Jupiter in Capricorn underscores his basic Taurean nature (practical and industrious) with a good business head and the knack of creating his own good fortune. Mars and Saturn in Gemini, plus Mercury in Aries,

endows him with a lively, agile and calculating mind plus excellent mental and physical co-ordination. Venus in Gemini shows that he is a light-hearted and humorous romantic with fickle and flirtatious inclinations. Uranus in Libra and Jupiter in Capricorn favour his Taurus Sun, which bodes well for successful self-expression stemming from original and dramatic ideas. Having three planets in Earth element signs and four in Air element signs, he underlines his natural resourcefulness with impressive versatility.

PIC: GREATSTOCK





WILL  
FERRELL

KEVIN  
HART

An education in  
incarceration.



COMING SOON

# Entertainment

THIS  
WEEK'S  
FAB

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BY PEARL MPHUTHI

**people** searches the entertainment world to bring you the hottest highlights of the week.

## GET HARD

WHEN millionaire James King (played by **Will Ferrell**) is nailed for fraud and bound for serving time in San Quentin, he turns to businessman Darnell Lewis (**Kevin Hart**) to help prepare him for a life behind bars. With these two comedians acting alongside each other, you're bound to be rolling in the aisles! *Get Hard* releases April 30, 2015.



## AMERICAN DAD

THIS hilarious animated comedy revolves around Stan Smith, a CIA agent in Langley Falls, Virginia, whose main objective in life is national security. His family members, as well as a talking goldfish and a space alien who likes to play dress-up, keep him busy while he tries to prevent terrorist activity in the US. *Catch upcoming episodes of American Dad Thursdays at 20h30 on Fox.*

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## COACH TRIP

THIS travel-meets-reality show that sees a group of contestants who've never met before thrown together on a dream holiday that could become a road trip from hell... Seven pairs of strangers, all from different backgrounds, become constant travelling companions on a six-week bus tour, taking in famous sights and holiday destinations. But, as is usually the case, eliminations must happen, and as the road trip progresses, the travellers decide on who'll be sent back home. *Catch Coach Trip, weekdays from May 5, 2015 on ITV.*

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## THE WENDY WILLIAMS SHOW

VIEWERS will be delighted with **Wendy Williams'** distinctive and entertaining personality, as well as her diverse mix of interviews with celebrity guests from television, film, music and sports. Popular segments include 'Hot Topics' in which she delivers her own unpredictable, honest and authentic take on the most talked-about headlines, and 'Ask Wendy', which sees her offer real advice to audience members looking for guidance to everyday problems. **Wendy's** sense of humour and winning personality will have her audience (and you) rapt throughout the show. *Catch The Wendy Williams Show, weekdays at 19h55 on BET.*



## NEW YFM LINE-UP

YFM has always gone against traditional choices and embraced the unexpected. This year the station introduces a diverse group of talented individuals who all uniquely resonate with the Y brand and its listenership. One of SA's hottest hip-hop DJs/producers **Lesego 'Speedsta' Nkaiseng**, etv's *Club 808* host **Cyprian Ndlovu**, and **Khanyi Mbau**, who needs no introduction, will all be joining the YFM family and will each host their own shows, kicking off from April. "Each of these talented individuals has built a profile in their respective fields, a platform on radio is a natural progression, and I believe that they will bring unique and refreshing perspectives to the radio audience," said programming manager, Pule.



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## BACK TO WORK, ZOOEY

SPOTTED making her way on set is actress **Zoey Deschanel**. The 35-year-old brunette star was seen in Los Angeles filming the fifth season of her famous and fabulous show *New Girl*. She plays Jess, a bubbly offbeat teacher who suffered a bad break up and now lives with three single men. The sitcom is a must-see and will definitely put a smile on your face. The release date for the upcoming season has not yet been announced.

### FUN FACT

**ZOOEY** began sewing her own clothes in high school because she had a strict allowance.



## WASSUP, VINCE?

YOU know he means business when he's wearing a suit! We're used to watching him on comedy movies, but this time around actor **Vince Vaughn** pulls on a straight face with his new project, the second season of *True Detective*. **Vince** will be playing Frank Semyon, a career criminal, and will star alongside **Colin Farrell**, **Rachel McAdams** and **Taylor Kitsch**. We can't wait to see the usually funny man in some serious action! Though we're still not sure when that might be...



### FACT

**CATHERINE** is particularly concerned with the environment and wants to teach people how to be more self-sustaining through growing their own food.

### FACT

**VINCE** lost a piece of his thumb in a car accident.



## CATHERINE'S GOT STYLE

5FM's **Catherine Grenfell** was seen on the set of her exclusive shoot in Braamfontein, Johannesburg wearing famous British shoe brand Dr Martens. She's the only South African to receive a pair of customized boots, which landed directly from London, and fans get to see her quirky side – **Catherine** designed the boots herself. She'll be starting a trend soon!

## Celebs Having Their Say On Twitter...



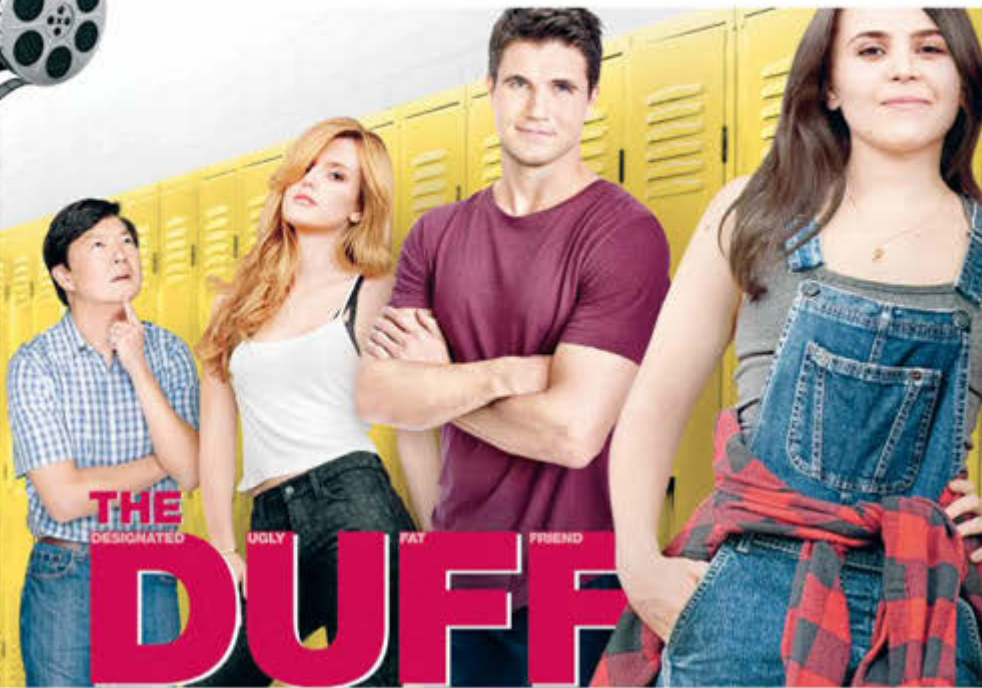
## You Said What?

"My dad is such a G. Abbreviating Thank You in to T Y when texting... Took me a while to figure it out, but hi5 on saving characters Papa." – **Sade Giliberti**

"I removed sms notifications in my personal account so the debit orders don't hurt as much." – **Tebello Motsoane**

"Even if you woke up feeling down, remember that it's a blessing to be alive and that God is still good!" – **Khanya Mkgangisa**





### THE DUFF

**Starring:** Mae Whitman, Robbie Amell And Bella Thorne

★★★

BIANCA, (**Mae Whitman**) is a content high school senior whose world is shattered when she learns the student body knows her as 'The DUFF' – the Designated Ugly Fat Friend – to her prettier, more popular friends. Now, despite the words of caution from her favourite teacher, she puts aside the potential distraction of her crush, Toby, and enlists Wesley (**Robbie Amell**), a slick but charming jock, to help reinvent herself. To save her senior year from turning into a total disaster, Bianca must find the confidence to overthrow the school's ruthless label maker Madison (**Bella Thorne**) and remind everyone that no matter what people look or act like, we are all someone's DUFF.

*The Duff releases May 1, 2015.*



### SERIAL (BAD) WEDDINGS

**Starring:** Christian Clavier, Chantal Lauby And Ary Abittan

★★★

MARIE and Claude Verneuil are old-school! But this respected upper class couple's three elder daughters – Isabelle, Odile and Segolene – made multicultural marriages to Rachid, David and Chao, respectively! So when the youngest daughter, Lauren, announces her intention to marry Charles, her parents are delighted that they'll finally be part of a traditional wedding... until Laure informs them that Charles is from Africa, and something snaps. Marie plunges into total meltdown and Claude plots to sabotage the wedding, finding an unlikely ally in Charles' father, Andre, who agrees with them on only one thing: what did they do to deserve this?

*Serial (Bad) Weddings releases April 30, 2015.*

### INTO THE WOODS

**Starring:** Meryl Streep, Emily Blunt And James Corden

★★★

BASED on the hit Broadway musical by James Lapine and Stephen Sondheim, *Into The Woods* sees a baker (**James Corden**) and his wife (**Emily Blunt**) learn that they've been cursed by a witch (**Meryl Streep**) into being childless. They must venture into the woods to find out how to break the spell so they can start a family. Along the way, they encounter well-known characters from a variety of the Brothers Grimm fairy tales, including *Rapunzel* (**Mackenzie Mauzy**), *Little Red Riding Hood* (**Lilla Crawford**) and *Cinderella* (**Anna Kendrick**).

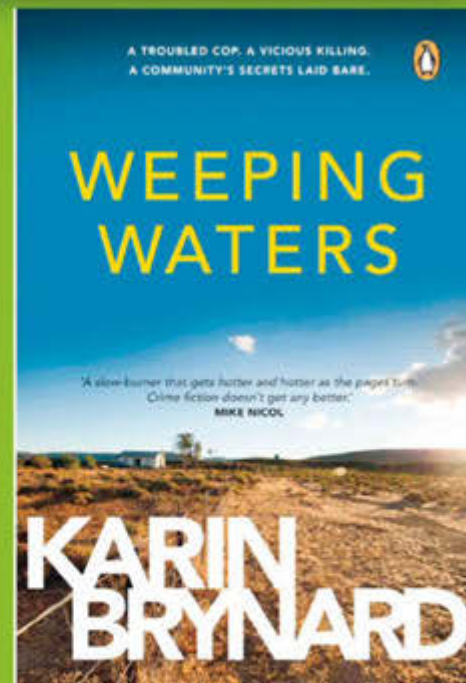


### WEEPING WATERS

**Author:** Karin Brynard  
**Translated by** Maya Fowler And Isobel Dixon

★★★

INSPECTOR Albertus Beeslaar has left the ruthless city, only to have his hopes of finding peace and quiet in the Kalahari shattered by the brutal murder of artist Freddie Swarts and her adopted daughter. But Freddie's journalist sister Sara is not convinced that this was a typical farm attack. Amid a spate of stock thefts, Beeslaar must solve this high-profile crime, all the while training his two rookie partners, Ghaap and Pyl. After more murders, the disturbing puzzle grows increasingly sinister, as age-old secrets and hostilities surface, spurring the local inhabitants to violent action. No one is above suspicion, not least the mysterious Bushman farm manager and falconer, Dam.





# Say Hello To The *Geordie Shore* Skinnies!

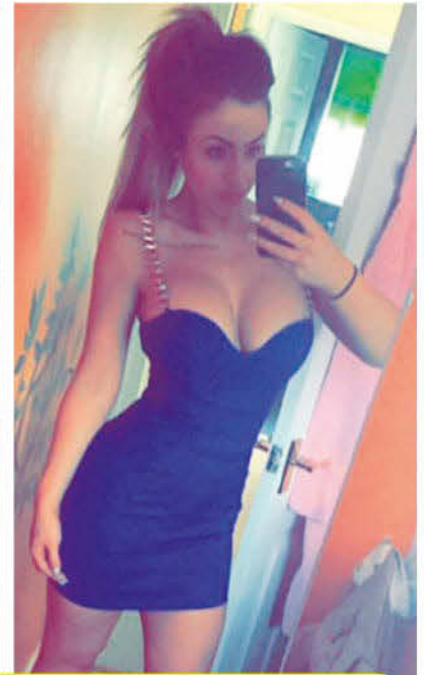
IT'S impossible not to notice how fabulous these reality star lasses are looking these days!



## CHARLOTTE CROSBY

**Then: Size 16  
Now: Size 8**

THE star has recently been showing off her teeny-tiny waistline on social media and we got to admit she looks delish. The 24-year-old ditched junk food and fizzy drinks – and even alcohol – and invested in a personal trainer. The pics say it all!



## HOLLY HAGAN

**Then: Size 16 Now: Size 8**

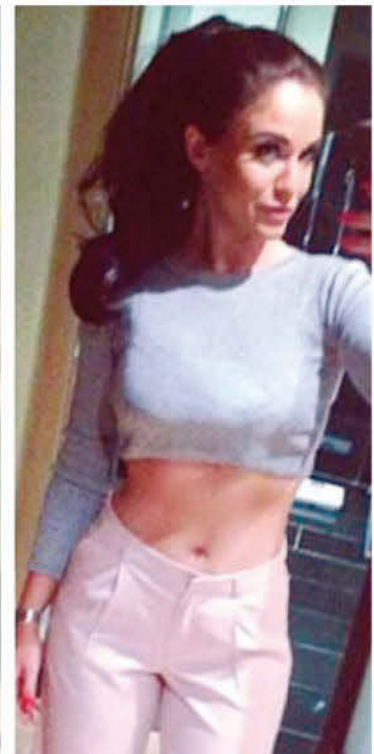
WHAT more can we say about this flamboyant beauty that isn't said by her pics? We've seen the petite star flashing her physique in her sexy dresses striking catwalk poses. **Holly's** exercise regime consists of squats, lunges, and she keeps slim by eating small portions. That's what you get when you ditch fast foods and booze!



## VICKY PATTINSON

**Then: Size 16  
Now: Size 6**

VICKY has really had jaws dropping with her weight loss (not to mention the boob job she topped it all off with). As you can see, she loves flaunting her new frame – but we're a little worried she might get carried away... she's looking a little on the *too-thin* side!



## MARINE SIMPSON

**Then: Size 12 Now: Size 8**

THIS star was inspired by her fellow castmates and has worked hard to achieve her new look. She is seen showing off her staggering body transformation – having lost almost 10kg four weeks after she started working out!



# The Young, The Wild, And The Filthy, Filthy Rich!

**Fresh**  
**On Air**

SEE what it's like to be one of South Africa's young and privileged kids –  
#NiceLifeProblems!

**Y**OU'VE seen how the spoiled brats on the other side of the pond handle a life of luxury – now it's time to shift your eye to something a little closer to home.

*Rich Kids* is an upcoming series that will showcase the extravagant lives and costly habits of South Africa's wealthy whippersnappers! Get familiar with how they spend their time and, more importantly, their moolah! You'll get the chance to see the faces behind the fortunes. Take a closer look into these young spenders' lives and get a better understanding of their reality and the personal challenges they face.

But spending habits aside, just who are these kids, and what are they like? Keeping the viewers in suspense, the identities of the limelight-seeking rich kids featured in this 10-part series are still under wraps – except for unashamed mavens of the good life – Bob and Don. The Tshwane-based brothers are total opposites, but if there's one thing they have in common, it's their love for all the extravagant things that money can buy!

Meet Bob, a calm and friendly young man with a vain streak and a wallet-draining passion for fashion and designer brands. Meanwhile, Don is rebellious and endowed with a zest and confidence that can quickly turn into arrogance. As befitting a rich kid, Don is also mad about expensive sports cars.

Expect partying, Instagramming, champagne, dancing, posing and even more extravagant shopping as the camera follows the likes of Bob and Don through clubs and shopping malls, car showrooms and expensive restaurants.

Vuzu AMP viewers will have a front row intimate understanding of the challenges that even the wealthy have to face. As famous rapper **Notorious B.I.G** once said: "Mo money, mo problems!"

**Tune into Rich Kids every Thursday at 19h00 on Vuzu AMP.**



Olivia



Napa



Bob and Don



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**PEOPLE 79**



WE chat to musicians making waves in the SA music scene!

# Howie Combrink

**H** E'S been in the music business for a while, but **Howie Combrink** has only recently released his debut album, with *Eat It While It's Hot* having come out just late last year. While he's still performing with Watershed as their drummer, **Howie** felt it was time to explore a solo project – which has already earned him a SAMA nomination! El chats to the star.

**You're officially a SAMA-nominated artist. What went through your head when you found out?**

Well, it came as a shock to be honest. I was invited to the press announcement conference and thought, "Let me just go and network a bit," and next thing I knew they announced my name as a nominee for the 'Best Adult Contemporary Album' and shortly thereafter they announced me as a nominee for the 'Best Newcomer of the Year'. I still have to remind myself because it's a very surreal experience – especially because I'm a huge fan of the guys I'm up against. It is a great honour to be on the same list as **Jeremy Loops** and **Beatenberg**.

**How important are award shows such as the SAMAs to you?**

For me it's a massive thing because the SAMAs is our country's biggest music award show, and just to be on that list gives me so much encouragement. The nominations have made me realise that we are on a long road and our goals sometimes seem far away, but before you

know it, with a bit of hard work and dedication you can achieve what you want to achieve, and reach the goals you have set.

**Your debut album *Eat It While It's Hot* has impressed the country. What is it about the record that resonates with so many?**

It's an album of positivity and good vibes. I was in a very happy place when I wrote the songs and recorded the album, so hopefully that is something the listeners will pick up on. I believe if you're in a good place while recording, the listeners will get that feeling from your music.

**How would you describe your sound?**

My music is very acoustic-driven and has a touch of reggae. I also enjoy energetic music and music with a bounce, so I guess that is something that's showcased on my album. There are bluesy elements to it as well, due to my growing up and listening to a lot of blues, but I would by no means refer to myself as a 'blues artist'.

**You shot the video for your new single *Change* at the Maboneng Precinct in one shot. Tell us more about that**

To be honest, I didn't know it was going to be a one-shot video until I arrived on set in the morning. The concept of the song is to join forces and march forward and make a difference in the world, and what we wanted to achieve with the video was that no matter who you are, there is a place for you in this world and you can make a change.

**If you could have performed any song by another local artist, which song would it be, and why?**

*Great Heart* by **Johnny Clegg**.

As a child I remember watching *Jack Of The Bushveld* and that song really touched me and was a big inspiration for my music. I still to this day, listen to that song over and over and I think one day I might add it to my set.

**What can we expect from you over the next few months?**

A lot of touring. I just want to get my album out there and showcase it as far and as wide as possible. I've also been writing a lot lately and will probably start recording really soon, although there won't be any new albums this year. But as for 2016 – who knows? There just may be something new to put out.



## Dance Anthems 2015 Various Artists

★★★★

EVERY few months there comes an album filled with some of the hottest EDM tracks released over the past few months and *Dance Anthems 2015* is exactly that. This album has tracks from the likes of **Bob Sinclair**, **Hardwell** and **R3hab**, although the majority of the tracks are from as yet unknown talent. The music is banging, and is the perfect way to start off a night out. That being said, if you love the commercial EDM tracks that you hear on radio, this album probably isn't going to be for you.

**El's Favourite Track:**  
*Blasterjaxx – Hollow*



## Reflection Fifth Harmony

★★★★★

BESIDES **Alex & Sierra**, not many acts from *The X Factor US* have managed to make a career from their time on the show. Girl-group **Fifth Harmony**, however, have come out tops and have just released their debut album, *Reflection*. The album was preceded by the smash-hits *Bo\$\$* and *Sledgehammer*, and the girls have managed to put together a fantastic pop record. The tracks are catchy, but don't have the cheesy sound common in so many pop offerings of late. The production is also brilliant and **Fifth Harmony** have proved that the wait was worth it.

**El's favourite Track:** *Worth It (Feat. Kid Ink)*



## American Beauty / American Psycho Fall Out Boy

★★★★

BELIEVE it or not but *American Beauty/American Psycho* is **Fall Out Boy's** sixth studio album! They performed at the I Heart Joburg music festival last year and blew us away and we were so excited to get some new music from the band. Tracks such as *Centuries* and *Irresistible* prove that the band know what music people out there want – and they will give it to them! Instrumentally, this is one of their best albums. It's energetic, fast-paced and brilliant. This record, although not as commercial as their previous work, is one of the band's best.

**El's Favourite Track:** *Uma Thurman*



## TV QUIZ

1. Which member of the team is known only by her alias?
2. True or False: star **Christian Kane** is a country singer.
3. Who was revealed as NOT being Parker's biological father?
4. According to Nate, what is 'plan M'?
5. Which actor plays Eliot Spencer?
6. What is Hardison's first name?
7. How many people are there on the *Leverage* team?
8. What is Parker's first name?
9. Who loves gummy frogs and orange soda?
10. *Leverage Consulting & Associates* was founded in what year?

## TRIVIA

1. In 1872, which country played England in the first ever international game of football?
2. Who became First Minister of Scotland after **Alex Salmond's** resignation?
3. Who said: "The history of the world is but the biography of great men."?
4. How many hurdles are there in a 400 meters hurdles race?
5. In 1811, nearly a quarter of all the women in Britain were called what name?
6. What's the biggest hospital in the world?
7. How many kinds of snakes are found in the world?
8. How many years are there in a millennium?
9. What is the first element on the periodic table of elements?
10. Bees create what sweet substance?

## CELEB QUIZ

1. Which former **One Direction** member is set to get hitched?
2. True or False: Supermodel **Jourdan Dunn** is going bald.
3. How old is **Iggy Azalea**?
4. Which Barbados beauty was caught staring at **Nicki Minaj's** boobs?
5. Who plans to collaborate with **Calvin Harris**?
6. Which local hottie will host *The Daily Show* in America?
7. Which designer announced his limited edition denim series featuring **Kendall Jenner**?
8. True or False: **Angelina Jolie** plans to adopt triplets in SA.
9. Which **Kardashian** sibling uses a pregnancy cream to tighten her neck?
10. True or False: **Eva Mendes** plans to launch a baby line.



*Leverage*  
airs  
Thursdays at  
15h48, on Sony  
Channel.



## BINNELANDERS

AN honest discussion uncovers a few bitter truths. Pippa feels uneasy about what was left for her, and Zadie can't believe what she is hearing. Ivanka hopes the stranger will return, and a secret visit is the catalyst to a lot of questions. Jana needs to deal with her joy and disappointment at the same time. The mine's lawyer is at loggerheads with Maggie. Once again, Karli manages to land on her feet, but Okkie is stumped. A lawyer tries every trick in the book to coerce co-operation from a certain doctor, and a nurse falls very ill. Questions are asked about Ivanka, and someone has clearly had enough of the situation that they find themselves in. One nurse in the ER leaves another one with a huge headache, and Adelyn tries her best to make peace with Zadie. Morné realises there is something wrong with Liezl, and it is not a day of good news for Jana. It seems the Ferreiras are having transportation problems again, and Ivanka's joy is short-lived. Two brothers are probably better than no brothers at all. Gustav doesn't think that Herman is the right one for the task at hand, and a new Du Preez doesn't make friends on arrival. Zadie asks for Okkie's assistance with her dilemma, and Liezl has a suggestion on how Morné can make his guilt disappear. Ivanka is forlorn, and Jana's appointment is an insult to Gustav. Rian has advice for Herman, and a milkshake is good start.

**Binnelanders, weekdays on kykNET and M-Net Terrestrial at 18h30.**

## SCANDAL!

SOMEONE Thembeka trusted is revealed to have been a very weak link. A game of subterfuge helps Anzani get back to a place she thought she never wanted to be in again. Gontse receives upsetting news but is talked into keeping quiet about it. Thembeka is forced to cave in to an expensive demand but is given no guarantee that she will not have to cough up more. A tentative commitment is made to saving Lerumo, but it can only be secured by a promise. Gloria jumps to a conclusion, which leaves someone in the dog box. Anzani barbers with the devil to save the love of her life. Quinton and Thembeka agree on an important element of their wedding, but Thembeka's joy is short-lived. Gontse is forced to lie to keep the peace in her home. Anzani is forced to agree to something unspeakable to save Lerumo's life. Thembeka is faced with a sight that makes her realise she is dealing with a very serious threat. Someone's success means that Gontse and Ndumiso's hopes are dashed.

**Scandal!, weekdays on e.tv at 19h30.**

## 7DE LAAN

BRENDA P. pays a visit to Paula. Will she confess to her deeds? Diederik isn't keen on the idea of Bernard and Petro dating. Will Lynette restore her reputation? Marko sends Anna a bunch of roses to say sorry, and Bernard is acting strange after yesterday's flashback. Paula and Xander catch Brenda in *Hillside Times*. Herman doesn't buy Willem's stories. Will he put a stop to it, or will Willem get away with his tricks? Kobus admits that he was wrong about Lynette. Sonja is worried that her savings aren't enough to get them through the month... Things are heating up between Anna and Marko. Altus is back to his old self.

**7de Laan, weekdays on SABC 2 at 18h30.**

## RHYTHM CITY

DOC suspects that Lerato sold him out to David. Sabelo takes Emmanuel into the heart of shack land to sell his merchandise. Rose suspects that Jafta cheated on her. Solomon sends a shocking message to all the members of the casino deal. Lerato tries to cosy up to Doc. Sis Bee confesses to Jafta that she might have had a hand in Rose's suspicions. Sabelo makes Emmanuel smoke nyaope without him realising it. Doc finds himself with no choice but to follow David's orders, and finds out the truth about Lerato. Bash comes down heavy on Emmanuel for his behaviour. Doc kicks Lerato out of his house. Sabelo tries to tempt Emmanuel into petty crime. Sis Bee's conscience is troubling her and she eventually confesses to Rose.

**Rhythm City, weekdays on e.tv at 18h30.**

## ISIDINGO

NIKIWE digs deep to be brave as she prepares to be open with her father that she is in an alliance with Barker. Brad and Priya agree that they cannot cross the line, but the attraction between them grows. Charlie has had enough of Lerato's nonsense and decides it's time for a showdown. There's high drama at the Ultra Deep as father and daughter go to war. Priya and Brad's sizzling flirtation threatens to explode. Calvin witnesses the escalation of the conflict between Charlie and Lerato. Nikiwe wins in the boardroom but may lose her family. Priya and Brad are confronted with the reality of their relationship. Calvin's well-meaning efforts fail and Lerato and Charlie are on a collision course. Family or business: which means more to the Sibekos and how far will they go to get that they want? The attraction between Priya and Brad reaches boiling point. The fight between Charlie and Lerato gets really dirty.

**Isidingo, weekdays on SABC 3 at 19h30.**

## THE BOLD AND THE BEAUTIFUL

WYATT tells Hope that he cannot stand the thought of losing her while Liam tells Quinn that he is the better man for Hope and that one day she will realise that. Katie pulls Donna into the middle of her fight with Brooke. Brooke and Bill speak from their heart to Karen about why Bill should be reinstated as CEO of Spencer Publications. At the office, Justin wants more access to the Spencer files but Katie is wary of his loyalty to Bill. As Aly speaks to Darla about her kiss with Oliver, a distrusting Maya records Oliver's conversation with her about his intentions towards the young Forrester heiress. Later, Oliver finds Aly by the Forrester pool and convinces her to help him with an underwater photo project. She opens up about herself to her new love. Later, Oliver and Aly play in the pool with an underwater camera. Maya attempts to get Carter on board with her about Oliver taking advantage of Aly but instead of taking her side, he wonders what the real reason is that his fiancée is so invested in Oliver's behaviour. Quinn is moved by Wyatt's response when she queries him about why he didn't propose to Hope. When Liam arrives, he and Quinn trade insults. Brooke and Hope discuss how her recent predicament would affect Hope's relationship with Wyatt.

**The Bold And The Beautiful, weekdays on SABC 3 at 17h30.**

Harriet Manamela is  
Meikie Maputla in  
*Skeem Saam*

SOAPIE  
STAR OF  
THE WEEK



## SKEEM SAAM

LELO continues to turn Kwaito's life upside down. John and Meikie have grave concerns about Leeto. For Nimza – when it rains, it pours. Ma Ntuli struggles to hold it together around Kwaito, and is shocked by the news of a planned march in support of Lelo. Enhle has a surprise in store for her. Leeto is shocked by how quickly things start to go wrong. Mapitsi is pushed to breaking point when she sees a picture of Enhle and Those on Facebook. Charles realises that money has been stolen from the shop. Mokgadi has a surprising effect on Meikie and John. Enhle makes a startling discovery. Kwaito comes face-to-face with his biggest enemy. Ma Kunutu and Charles take drastic action against Nimza. Mapitsi's jealousy turns confrontational.

**Skeem Saam, weekdays on SABC 1 at 18h30.**





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## 'THE DAY I WAS RAPED'

A YOUNG woman recalls how misplaced trust in someone she'd met led to her being raped.

**"ON** October 25, 2011, I was raped by an acquaintance. He and I had both attended the same party, and I had asked him to walk me halfway to my house – it was the first party I'd ever attended, and I wasn't feeling comfortable because there were a lot of people. I was surprised at the number of people, actually, because the hostess has assured me that she would only be having a few friends.

My acquaintance agreed and I thanked him for being so generous and understanding – not everyone would leave a party and accompany someone late at night. We walked a short distance and then he said he wanted to fetch something from the car. His vehicle was in

a spot completely deserted, and I asked him why he and his friends had parked so far away. He claimed he didn't want drunkards damaging the car, which sounded perfectly reasonable. He asked me if we could get inside – he wanted to show me something.

Once I'd got in with him his behaviour changed. He started touching me. I told him to let me out, to let me go back to my friends, but he said nothing. Instead he began sniffing me and kissing me and that's when I started to cry. He became very aggressive and pinned me down with the palms of his hands, and pulled my hair when I tried to fight him off. He told me not to make things difficult. "The sooner we get done with this, the sooner you go to your friends. I know you want this more than I do. You're just playing hard to get." I told him I wasn't ready yet to have sex. I begged and screamed at the top of my voice. He used his one knee to pin me down by my stomach, and he undressed me. He pulled my underwear and stockings below my knees, took out his wallet and retrieved a condom. I prayed, cried, screamed. I said everything I could think of to stop him – I even told him that it was my first time, so I'd be terrible and he wouldn't enjoy

it...

When I got back to my friends, I tried to act normally and pretended like nothing had happened, but they could tell something was terribly wrong. They could see my face was swollen and my eyes were red from crying, but they thought that perhaps I'd been mugged on my way home. I asked them to call my sister to come to fetch me. I was sore and my underwear and stockings were wet with blood. I couldn't walk properly.

I shivered, and a lot of things were going through my head – should I tell my parents? Should I tell my boyfriend? I decided not to do either. I felt they wouldn't care or understand. They'd decided to keep quiet about it like they did my suicide attempt and my mom's pregnancy with me – because my granny

**'I know you want this more than I do. You're just playing hard to get.'**

sweeps her children's demons under the carpet; she wants to be seen as the almighty of the community – always perfect. And I didn't want people to pity me. I also decided not to lay charges because I wouldn't have been able to face him in court. Besides, his family was wealthy, and he'd be able to get the best lawyer. And with his charm and his smile he'd get off scot-free, while my reputation would be left in ruins.

But, over and above all that, I decided not to tell anyone because, when it came down to it, I blamed myself. Perhaps I'd given him the wrong impression... I had this voice at back of my head saying, "If you hadn't asked him to accompany you home, if you hadn't attend the party or got into his car, none of it would have happened."

Before all this I was happy person – outgoing, talkative and friendly. All that has changed. I feel cursed. Why me, God? Why me? I can't even look my self in the mirror, I'm disgusted with myself. I don't feel safe anywhere I go. I have to look over my shoulder all the time, and I cannot walk alone."

## HAVE YOU SEEN THEM?

THE largest number of missing children worldwide are runaways, then family abductions, being lost or injured, and non-family abductions.



**GEORGE NKUNA**

**Disappeared:** January 23, 2015  
**Age:** 55  
George left home in Kabokweni and has been missing ever since.



**STULELE GWATYU**

**Disappeared:** March 9, 2015  
**Age:** 76  
Stulele left home in Vosloorus and has been missing ever since.



**EDWARD TLOUYAMMA**

**Disappeared:** March 4, 2015,  
**Age:** 35  
Edward left home in Gauteng and has been missing ever since.



**FRANCOIS JEAN RICHARDS**

**Disappeared:** February 11, 2015  
**Age:** 56  
Francois left home in Alberton for Randfontein and has been missing ever since.

## HELPLINES

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**Web:** [www.rapecrisis.org.za](http://www.rapecrisis.org.za)

**Lifeline** (011) 715-2000 / 0800 012 322

**Childline** 082 233 2333 or 0800 055 555

**SAPS Family Violence, Child Protection And Sexual Offences Unit (FCS)** (011) 403-3413

**Teddy Bear Clinic** (011) 481-5161

**Aids Helpline** 0800 012 322, or (011) 880-0405

**Web:** [www.aidsinfo.co.za](http://www.aidsinfo.co.za)

**Anorexia and Bulimia Family Support Group** (011) 640-1965

**Web:** [www.edsupport.co.za](http://www.edsupport.co.za)

**CancerCare Centre** (011) 646-5628

**SA Depression & Anxiety Support Group (SADAG)**

(011) 783-1474 or (011) 884-1797

**Alcoholics Anonymous South Africa** (011) 452-9907

**SANCA** (011) 482-1070

**Gamblers Anonymous** 0800 006 008

If you think you've seen any of these people, or would like to report a missing person, contact the Bureau For Missing People on (012) 393-2005, or fax (012) 393-2012. Missing people can contact the bureau to let them know they're alive and well – even if they don't want to get in touch with family.

IN South Africa alone, almost 1 000 children are reported missing every year. The actual figure is probably much higher. Currently the police have an 82 percent success rate finding the children. Ideally they'd like to achieve a 100 percent success rate. But they need your help! Have you seen any of these people?





# Dear people

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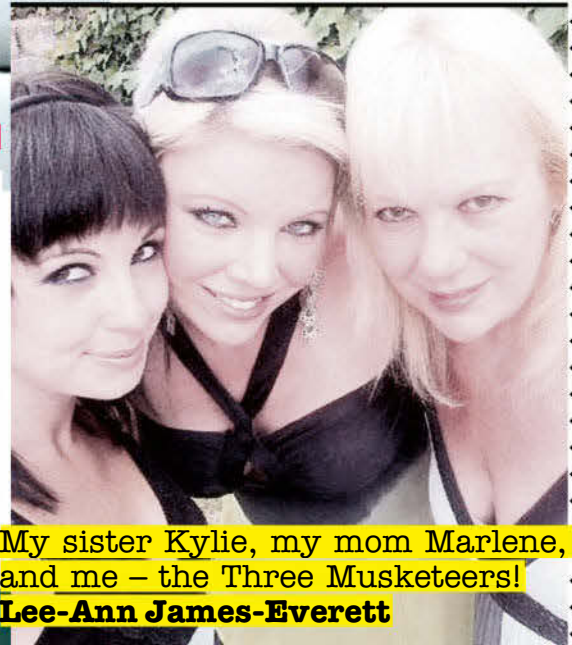
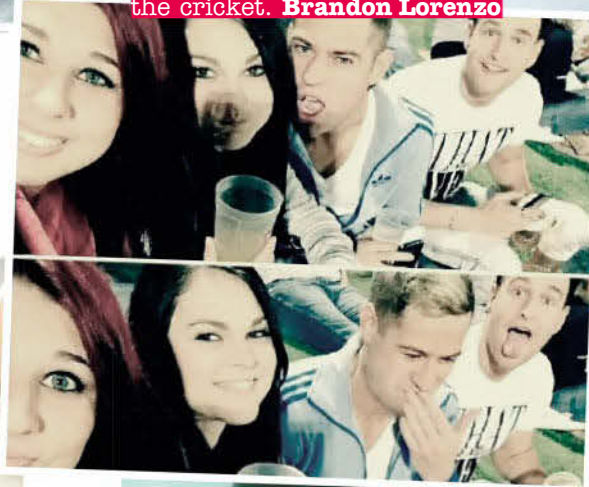
This is baby Ilithya Czeguhn at just seven weeks old.

**Jessica**

My beautiful eight-year-old niece Haylea-Jae loves make-up – just like her aunty!

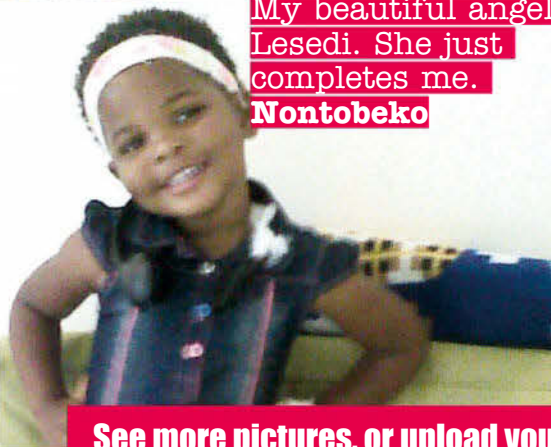
**Justine Saunders**

Best mates Sarah, Zaydia, Selwyn and me at the cricket. **Brandon Lorenzo**



My sister Kylie, my mom Marlene, and me – the Three Musketeers!  
**Lee-Ann James-Everett**

My beautiful angel, Lesedi. She just completes me.  
**Nontobeko**



This is me and my mother. I love her to bits.  
**Nemone Williams**



Enzo my baby loves going to my local pub with me, and loves helping the bar lady. He only goes once a week, though!  
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**PEOPLE 83**



BY EL BROIDE

NEWS and views from the world of reality television.

## Meet The Two New Geordies!

WOOHOO! The 10th season of *Geordie Shore* is almost upon us, and while this is **James Tindale's** last season, the producers of the show have added two new faces into the mix in the form of **Chloe Etherington** and **Nathan Henry**. **Chloe** describes herself as 'wild, crazy lightweight, who is random and canny, down-to-earth', and while she seems all sweet and innocent, her past with Scotty T is sure to cause some fireworks this season. **Nathan** will become the show's very first bisexual cast member. He's a self-confessed 'reality television w\*\*\*\*', is currently 70 percent in favour of guys and so is looking forward to pulling everyone in sight – including one tattooed housemate... **Aaron's** not going to know what's hit him.



## Teen Mom 2's Leah Messer Heading To Rehab?

DOES the drama ever end for **Leah Messer**? The 22-year-old *Teen Mom 2* star and mother of three is in the midst of a crippling drug addiction – and now, the star may be forced to enter a rehab facility if she wants to keep custody of her children. "She's popping pills all day long," a source close to **Leah** revealed. "She's confessed to Jeremy [Calvert, her estranged husband] that she has a problem, and knows she has no other choice than to go to rehab immediately." The source adds that **Leah** has struggled with pill abuse in the past, specifically Lortab, the narcotic pain medication, and she is also currently abusing Xanax, the highly addictive anti-anxiety medication.

## The Great South African Bake Off – Coming Soon!

YES! One of our favourite BBC Lifestyle shows *The Great British Bake Off* is getting a local-is-lekker spin-off! The channel has commissioned *The Great South African Bake Off*, with South African bakers now being able to apply to be a part of the first season, which will be broadcast later in the year. The South African version, which will be shot in Johannesburg, will be the 18th country to receive a spin-off of the original show and we honestly can't wait to watch our local amateur cooks bake off against each other. The first season will consist of 10 nail-biting episodes. Want to be a part of it all? Anyone over the age of 18 can audition for a spot on the show: simply head to [bbcsouthafrica.com](http://bbcsouthafrica.com) before 24 May for your chance to participate. The *Great South African Bake Off* will be BBC's second local TV show in South Africa after the incredibly popular *Come Dine With Me South Africa*, and will see amateur South African bakers not just whipping up tiered cakes, but trying their hand at some South African confections, too, ranging from koeksisters, malva pudding and milk tart to perhaps a traditional Sotho wedding cake. Bring it on!



## On The Box This Week



### Breaking Amish: Brave New World, Wednesdays at 20h00 on TLC

**MIRIAM'S** return brings the family back together this week while **Bates** focuses on his acting career, although he can't get over the fact that his mother no longer gives him the support he needs.



### The Real Housewives Of New Jersey, Fridays at 17h00 on Vuzu Amp

IT'S Christmas time for the real housewives, and this week **Melissa** does her best to try keep the Christmas traditions alive, despite living in a rental home. **Dina** feels more alone than usual as her daughter applies for college.



### Celebrity MasterChef, Saturdays at 19h40 on BBC Entertainment

THIS week our celebs need to cook one of **John Torode's** recipes in one of the most nail-biting challenges yet! This is all before they need to cook their own two-course menu! Yikes!



## Remembering The Boston Marathon Bombings

TWO years ago, on April 15, marked one of the most horrific tragedies the world of sport has ever seen – the Boston Marathon bombings. Runners, spectators, tourists and more were expecting



to celebrate this famous race but were halted by an act of terrorism. Two pressure cooker bombs exploded near the finish line on Boylston Street, killing three people and injuring an estimated 264 others. Video footage revealed Chechen brothers Dzhokhar Tsarnaev and Tamerlan Tsarnaev had planted the bombs. While fleeing, the

pair killed a policeman, carjacked an SUV, and initiated an exchange of gunfire with law enforcement. During the shootout Tamerlan was shot several times and was subsequently run over by his brother in the stolen SUV in his escape. He was pronounced dead at the scene. Dzhokhar was arrested and earlier this month found guilty on all charges. He faces the death penalty or a life sentence without the possibility of parole.

## Gerrard Hammered On Twitter

'SEETHING': that pretty much sums up the feeling fans have after Liverpool's English midfielder and Captain **Steven Gerrard** lost the FA Cup semi-final between Aston Villa and Liverpool at Wembley stadium in London. Disappointed, angry and upset tweets, most of them hammering **Gerrard**, continue to flood Twitter, slamming the player for not steering the team in the direction of the trophy.



## Not Medal-Worthy

IT'S one of the most prized trophies in the history of sport but a Sao Paulo soccer player traded in his World Cup medal to buy drugs. Former Brazil international 65-year-old **Paulo Cesar** has admitted he sold his World Cup winners medal from 1970 to buy cocaine.

"I wasn't in control emotionally. I should never have negotiated and sold such a precious medal," he said. "It's a huge loss. I've never told anyone but now I'm ready to admit it. The most important thing for me was cocaine. The medal was less important." **Cesar** was addicted to drugs and alcohol for 17 years and had lost three apartments in Rio because of it. His addiction led him to drug trafficking. Between 1985 and 1993 he was imprisoned in the city of São Paulo, Brazil, where he was diagnosed HIV-positive. Today, **Cesar** is free of drugs and is sticking to his HIV treatment. He works as a volunteer for Hipupiara, contacting drug users in the city and referring them to treatment and assistance services.



## Burger Wins Global Award

BOK **Schalk Burger**'s fighting spirit, from the rugby pitch to the intensive care unit, as well as his grit and determination, has won him the World Comeback of the Year Award at the Laureus World Sports Awards held at the Shanghai Grand Theatre. **Burger** had a cyst next to his spinal cord and went into hospital for treatment, but developed life-threatening meningitis and was taken to intensive care. Miraculously, he battled for his life and returned to the sport he loves to win his place back in the Springboks rugby team. Not only did the 31-year-old pull through and pull on the Springbok jersey once again, he was a key member of the squad to play Australia and New Zealand in the Rugby Championship. Then he was named Man Of The Match in the November victory over England at Twickenham, in which he scored the decisive third try. The other nominees in the same category were Italian soccer player **Francesco Acerbi**, **Diego Milito** (Argentina, soccer), **Jo Pavey** (UK, athletics), **Pierre Vaultier** (France, snowboarding) and **Oliver Wilson** (UK, golf). In other categories, Serbia's **Novak Djokovic** won his second Laureus World Sportsman of the Year Award after another brilliant 12 months, which featured a second Wimbledon victory, while Ethiopia's **Genzebe Dibaba** was named Laureus World Sportswoman Of The Year after breaking three world records in different events in two weeks. She was only the third ever person to achieve that feat in different events, along with athletic giants **Jesse Owens** and **Usain Bolt**.



WE score with the hottest sporting gossip from around the world!

## Off The Track

BY VANESSA PAPAS



## Hernandez Guilty Of Murder

**AARON HERNANDEZ**, the former New England Patriots star tight end, has been placed on suicide watch after he was sentenced to life in prison for murdering his fiancée's sister's boyfriend in 2013. He also faces charges for a separate double homicide charge back in 2012. **Hernandez** was found guilty of first degree in the death of semi-pro football player **Odin Lloyd**. **Hernandez** shook his head in disbelief as a jury delivered the verdict a few weeks ago. He was also found guilty on gun and ammunition possession charges. He received an automatic sentence of life in prison without the possibility of parole.

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## MEN SEEKING WOMEN

**Outdoor Fun together**-North West, 45-60 yrs, White male, enjoys walking and being outdoors. I am very playful. Like to have fun and live life to the full. Seeking a special lady 35-44yrs who is independent and outgoing and likes to have fun. ID: 2243

**Lets have some Fun**-Gauteng 35-44 yrs. Fun loving, outgoing, loves life and sharing happy times. Missing that special someone to be my partner to share the laughs. Looking for a fun loving, outgoing lady to share some fun and special moments. ID: 1088

**Lets enjoy life Together**-Gauteng 35-44 yrs, African man, Independent, hard-working, honest and kind. Seeking a kind, loving lady 45-60 yrs who is honest and enjoys life. Looking for someone to make me happy, be my partner and share my life. ID: 2639

**Life Partner and Soulmate**-Gauteng, 34-44yrs. African Male, soft spoken and slightly reserved. Looking for an honest, sincere lady to share my life with, someone who likes to talk and share feelings. Like to get married and have children ones day. ID: 1253

**Long Distance Friend**-Northern Cape, 60+ Widower with grown children. Long distance driver often away from home. Love to spend quality time with special people. Looking for a special lady 45-60 yrs to share companionship and fun together. ID: 1570

**Not just for Fun**-Gauteng 39 yrs, Single, enjoy life, fun loving, serious about relationships and long term loyalty. Looking for a special lady who is loyal, sincere and honest who is looking for a fun, long term relationship. You could be the one. ID: 1185

**Adventurous**-Gauteng 45-60 yrs. Tall, dark, and handsome. Sports fan, mainly Rugby, enjoy outdoor life, family events and weekends away. Outgoing, friendly and fun to be with. Seeking outgoing, fun lady who loves the outdoors. ID: 1089

**Active and Fit**-Gauteng lawyer 45-60 yrs, well dressed, tall, dark, honest and sincere, enjoys braaing, going to gym and playing golf. Looking for a well-dressed, honest and faithful lady to share happy times. ID: 1078

**Looking for my Match**-Gauteng, Single African man, 37yrs. Originally from Durban, I am honest, sincere, caring and independent. Seeking a special lady 25-34yrs who is honest, sincere, loving and kind. I am looking for love and a soul mate. ID: 2811

**Work hard and have fun**-Gauteng 26 yrs. Enjoy going to gym and spending time with friends. Am a bit of a workaholic but try to lead a balanced life. Am the life and soul of the party. Looking for a fun lady 25-35yrs to share life and fun. ID: 2054

**Take a chance on Me**-Gauteng 45-60 yrs. Looking for a woman in need of friendship and companionship. There's lots of life to be lived and it's a lot more fun with a special friend to share it with. You only live once, so take a chance! Give me a call. ID: 1036

**Feet on the Ground**-Gauteng 45-60 yrs, Honest, Level headed man who knows where he's going in life. Enjoy the company of nice people. Looking for a down to earth lady who values loyalty and commitment for fun, companionship and love. ID: 1038

**Young and fit for Life**-Gauteng 18-24 yrs. African man, Outgoing, friendly and fun. Young guy, energetic and fun. Like to go out with friends and enjoy life to the full. Looking for an outgoing lady 18-24 for friendship, fun and maybe more. ID: 2768

## WOMEN SEEKING MEN

**Outdoor Life**-North West, 18-24 yrs, single Mom, Fun, outgoing, lady. Enjoy camping and the outdoors and being in the bush. Also love going out and having fun. Looking for an honest sincere man 25-34yrs who is fun loving and kind. ID: 1397

**Eat well and Travel**-Gauteng 35-44 yrs, I enjoy travelling, cooking, going out to movies or watching them at home. Love spending time with friends and family. Looking for a special man 35-44 yrs with similar interests for companionship. ID: 1939

**Single professional**-Gauteng, 45-60 yrs, Professional, well groomed lady, particular about my appearance. Like to eat out and spend social time with friends. Also love to travel. Seeking a professional man 45-60 with similar interests. ID: 1463

**Kind and Caring**-Limpopo 25-34yrs, African lady, honest and reliable. Kind and caring. Like to spend time with family and friends. Seeking a sincere, loving man 24-34 yrs who is honest and kind, for friendship, fun and maybe more. ID: 2260

**Take a chance on Me**-Gauteng 35-44 yrs, White lady, Outgoing, fun and adventurous. Game for anything. What you see is what you get, love me for who I am. Seeking like-minded, adventurous man 35-44yrs, looking for some fun and laughs. ID: 3176

**Animal Lover**-Gauteng 50 yrs, Fun loving active lady, loves caring for animals, hiking, cooking and spending quality time with family and friends. Works at an animal hospital. Looking for a kind, caring man to share happy times. ID: 1376

**The Future's Bright**-Independent 60+ Lady, Living in KZN, honest, sincere and loyal. Financially independent and able to take care of myself. Looking for companionship with someone my own age. If this sounds like you I'd love to hear from you. ID: 1115

**Blond and Beautiful**-Western Cape 55 yrs. Blond, attractive lady. Love nature and being by sea. Love to spend quality time with family and friends. Looking for a special gentleman 55-65 yrs, who is a non-smoker with a sense of humour. ID: 2006

**Single, Active and Fun**-Gauteng, 25-34yrs. Single, independent, hard working lady, no children. Am active, enjoy running, walking and going to gym. Looking for a special, fun, guy of similar age and similar interests to share happy times. ID: 1944

**Professional Christian**-Gauteng 45-60 yrs, African lady, professional and financially independent. Christian beliefs and values. Love the outdoors. Looking for a special man 45-60yrs, who is kind and caring and has similar Christian values. ID: 1905

**Big is Beautiful**-Mpumalanga 25-34 yrs. Tall, beautiful, African lady. Very loving and caring person. Fully employed. Love going out. Play netball, love to watch soccer. Looking for an honest, kind man who will love me for who I am. ID: 1311

**Share some happy times**-Gauteng (Kempton Park) 45-60 yrs. Single lady, Kind hearted, honest and loyal. Like to spend time with family and friends. Seeking an honest, kind hearted, fun loving man for friendship and to share some happiness. ID: 3271

**Love to be Spoilt**-Gauteng 28 yrs. God fearing Christian lady, 1 son. Hard working. Non smoker, non drinker. Light complexion, short in stature. Looking for an independent, romantic man, non smoker or drinker, to take of me, maybe spoil me. ID: 2541

**Fun Loving, Attractive lady**-KZN, White lady 60+ Fun outgoing and friendly. Like to enjoy life and live each day and have fun. Enjoy socialising and meeting new people. Seeking an outgoing, fun man 45-60yrs to share friendship and happy times. ID: 2455

**Still lots of Love to Give**-Gauteng, Springs/Brakpan area, Afrikaans speaking lady, 60+ independent. Own my home. Black hair and dark eyes. Looking for an honest, sincere man 60+ who is also lonely, for companionship, friendship and maybe more. ID: 2640

**Looking for Friendship and Fun**-Gauteng, 60+ recently retired, enjoy music, cooking, dancing and going out to dinner with family and friends. Looking for someone I can communicate with. If you have similar interests, let's get to know each other better. ID: 1717

**Teach you how to Laugh**-Gauteng 47yrs, Afrikaans speaking, Teacher. I have 2 children, enjoy food and appreciate a glass of good red wine. I am fun loving, interesting and have a great sense of humour. Looking for a fun loving, outgoing man. ID: 1277

## MEN SEEKING MEN

**Lets have some Fun**-Gauteng 25-34 yrs, I have brown hair and eyes, average build, enjoy going out and having fun. Like to party and stay home sometimes. Looking for that special guy 25-34yrs to share some happiness and quality time with. ID: 1676

**Long Term Love**-Gauteng, 35-44 yrs, African lady, serious about life, love and happiness. Looking for someone to settle down with. Seeking a special man for long term relationship, someone who is serious about life and ready to commit. ID: 3763

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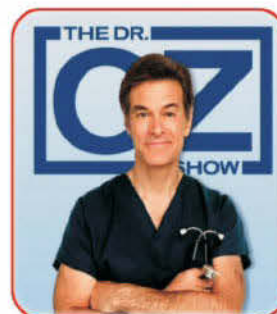
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Thanks to Dr K. Aziz

### Elizabeth from Randpark Ridge



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Thanks to Dr K. Aziz

### Sipho from Houghton



I lost my job, after the bank took my car, my house and my wife ran away. I spent up and down to different doctors but none helped me. I had given up, but then I was referred to Dr K Aziz who helped me get my job back and I was immediately offered a promotion. Then after I manage to open my own company and have secure six tenders with the power of Dr K Aziz.

Thanks to Dr K. Aziz





# Spiritual Corner

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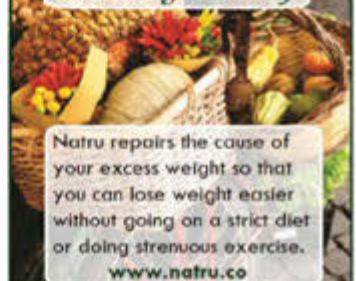
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<b>06:00</b> The Ellen DeGeneres Show	<b>06:00</b> The Ellen DeGeneres Show	<b>06:00</b> Mr Peabody And Sherman	<b>07:00</b> The Ellen DeGeneres Show	<b>06:00</b> The Ellen DeGeneres Show	<b>06:00</b> The Ellen DeGeneres Show	<b>06:00</b> The Ellen DeGeneres Show
<b>07:00</b> The Middle	<b>07:00</b> Modern Family	<b>08:00</b> MasterChef Australia	<b>11:00</b> Mom's Night Out	<b>07:00</b> Modern Family	<b>07:00</b> The Millers	<b>07:00</b> Mom
<b>07:30</b> TBA	<b>07:30</b> Olive Kitteridge	<b>13:00</b> Arrow	<b>13:00</b> Celebrity MasterChef SA	<b>07:30</b> Blue Bloods	<b>07:30</b> Mind Games	<b>07:30</b> Caught On Camera
<b>08:30</b> The Lottery	<b>08:30</b> Perception	<b>14:00</b> Mysteries Of Laura	<b>14:00</b> Marvel's Agent Carter	<b>08:30</b> The Fixer	<b>08:30</b> Celebrity MasterChef SA	<b>08:30</b> The Last Ship
<b>09:30</b> Vamps	<b>09:30</b> A Monster In Paris	<b>15:00</b> Blue Bloods	<b>15:00</b> Grey's Anatomy	<b>09:30</b> Celebrity MasterChef SA	<b>09:30</b> In My Dreams	<b>09:30</b> Hours
<b>11:30</b> Mom	<b>11:30</b> Two And A Half Men	<b>16:00</b> Celebrity MasterChef SA	<b>16:00</b> Chicago Fire	<b>11:30</b> 2 Broke Girls	<b>11:30</b> The Middle	<b>11:30</b> About A Boy
<b>12:00</b> The Ellen DeGeneres Show	<b>12:00</b> The Ellen DeGeneres Show	<b>17:00</b> The Blacklist	<b>17:00</b> The Fixer	<b>12:00</b> The Ellen DeGeneres Show	<b>12:00</b> The Ellen DeGeneres Show	<b>12:00</b> The Ellen DeGeneres Show
<b>13:00</b> Restaurant Start-Up	<b>13:00</b> MasterChef Australia	<b>18:00</b> Mom	<b>18:00</b> Celebrity MasterChef SA	<b>13:00</b> MasterChef Australia	<b>13:00</b> TBA	<b>13:00</b> Restaurant Start-Up
<b>14:00</b> Carte Blanche	<b>14:00</b> N.C.I.S.	<b>18:30</b> 2 Broke Girls	<b>19:00</b> The Middle	<b>14:00</b> Nashville	<b>14:00</b> Elementary	<b>14:00</b> Perception
<b>15:00</b> Suits	<b>15:00</b> Blue Bloods	<b>19:30</b> About A Boy	<b>19:30</b> Nashville	<b>15:00</b> Mind Games	<b>15:00</b> Caught On Camera	<b>15:00</b> Elementary
<b>16:00</b> Modern Family	<b>16:00</b> The Fixer	<b>20:00</b> Gotham	<b>20:05</b> Fire With Fire	<b>16:00</b> Marvel's Agents Carter	<b>16:00</b> The Last Ship	<b>16:00</b> The Lottery
<b>16:30</b> Two And A Half Men	<b>17:00</b> The Ellen DeGeneres Show	<b>21:00</b> Marvel's Agent Carter	<b>21:45</b> Last Week Tonight With John Oliver	<b>17:00</b> The Ellen DeGeneres Show	<b>17:00</b> The Ellen DeGeneres Show	<b>17:00</b> The Ellen DeGeneres Show
<b>17:00</b> The Ellen DeGeneres Show	<b>18:00</b> 2 Broke Girls	<b>22:00</b> Marvel's Agent Carter	<b>22:15</b> Vice	<b>18:00</b> Mom	<b>18:00</b> 2 Broke Girls	<b>18:00</b> The Middle
<b>18:00</b> About A Boy	<b>18:30</b> MasterChef Australia	<b>23:00</b> Runner Runner	<b>22:45</b> CSI	<b>18:30</b> TBA	<b>18:30</b> Restaurant Start-Up	<b>18:30</b> TBA
<b>18:30</b> MasterChef Australia	<b>19:30</b> Marvel's Agents Of S.H.I.E.L.D.	<b>01:00</b> The Calling	<b>23:45</b> Out Of The Furnace	<b>19:30</b> The Last Ship	<b>19:30</b> The Lottery	<b>19:30</b> Modern Family
<b>19:30</b> The Fixer	<b>20:30</b> Arrow	<b>03:00</b> Love Me	<b>01:50</b> The Reluctant Fundamentalist	<b>20:30</b> Mysteries Of Laura	<b>20:30</b> Gotham	<b>20:30</b> Suits
<b>20:30</b> Blue Bloods	<b>21:30</b> Single Shot	<b>04:45</b> Beautiful Creatures	<b>04:00</b> The Legend Of Hercules	<b>21:30</b> Elementary	<b>21:30</b> Perception	<b>21:30</b> CSI
<b>21:30</b> N.C.I.S.	<b>23:30</b> Devil's Due			<b>22:30</b> Carte Blanche	<b>22:30</b> CSI	<b>22:30</b> N.C.I.S.
<b>22:30</b> CSI	<b>01:00</b> Lincoln			<b>23:30</b> Road To Paloma	<b>00:30</b> Last Week Tonight With John Oliver	<b>23:30</b> Gotham
<b>23:30</b> Last Week Tonight With John Oliver	<b>03:30</b> Not Safe For Work			<b>01:20</b> A Good Day To Die Hard	<b>01:05</b> New Worlds	<b>00:30</b> Vice
<b>00:00</b> Vice	<b>05:00</b> MasterChef Australia			<b>03:15</b> Felix	<b>02:00</b> Time Of Death	<b>01:00</b> A Fighting Man
<b>00:30</b> Story Of Luke				<b>05:00</b> MasterChef Australia	<b>05:00</b> MasterChef Australia	<b>02:30</b> About A Boy
<b>02:00</b> Invisible Woman						<b>03:15</b> Caught On Camera
<b>04:00</b> Young Hollywood's Greastest...						<b>04:05</b> Time Of Death
<b>05:00</b> MasterChef Australia						<b>05:00</b> MasterChef Australia

### Top Pick This Week



Fire With Fire

### Fun Fact

**Hours**  
THIS was one of Paul Walker's last movies – he passed away two weeks before this movie was released in the USA.

THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY
<b>05:02</b> Geleza Nathi	<b>05:02</b> Geleza Nathi	<b>06:30</b> Siyakholwa	<b>05:00</b> Geleza Nathi	<b>05:00</b> Aum	<b>05:00</b> Izwi La Bantu	<b>05:02</b> Geleza Nathi
<b>06:00</b> Kids News & Current Affairs	<b>06:00</b> Kids News & Current Affairs	<b>07:00</b> Fantastic Four	<b>06:00</b> Siyakholwa	<b>05:02</b> Geleza Nathi	<b>05:02</b> Geleza Nathi	<b>06:00</b> Kids News & Current Affairs
<b>06:30</b> YO.TV	<b>06:30</b> Sports Buzz	<b>07:30</b> YO.TV Mmino	<b>06:30</b> Bonisanani	<b>06:00</b> Kids News & Current Affairs	<b>06:00</b> Kids News & Current Affairs	<b>06:30</b> YO.TV
<b>07:00</b> YO.TV Land	<b>07:00</b> YO.TV	<b>08:00</b> YO.TV What's In The Fridge	<b>07:00</b> Fantastic Four	<b>06:30</b> YO.TV Paws And Claws	<b>06:30</b> YO.TV Zenzele	<b>06:45</b> YO.TV
<b>07:15</b> YO.TV Litha Lethu	<b>07:15</b> YO.TV Litha Lethu	<b>08:15</b> YO.TV Yo Hambo	<b>07:30</b> YO.TV Ntunjambili	<b>07:00</b> YO.TV	<b>07:00</b> YO.TV	<b>07:00</b> YO.TV
<b>07:30</b> Takalani Sesame	<b>07:30</b> Takalani Sesame	<b>08:30</b> Paddlepop	<b>08:00</b> YO.TV Furry Tales	<b>07:15</b> YO.TV Litha Lethu	<b>07:15</b> Takalani Sesame	<b>07:15</b> YO.TV Litha Lethu
<b>08:00</b> The Bold And The Beautiful	<b>08:00</b> The Bold And The Beautiful	<b>09:00</b> Local Current Affairs	<b>08:15</b> YO.TV Zenzele	<b>07:30</b> Takalani Sesame	<b>08:00</b> The Bold And The Beautiful	<b>07:30</b> Takalani Sesame
<b>08:30</b> Isidingo	<b>08:30</b> Isidingo	<b>10:00</b> Generations: The Legacy (Omnibus)	<b>08:30</b> Zorro: Generation Z	<b>08:00</b> The Bold And The Beautiful	<b>08:30</b> Isidingo	<b>08:00</b> The Bold And The Beautiful
<b>09:00</b> Generations: The Legacy R	<b>09:00</b> Generations: The Legacy R	<b>12:30</b> Imizwili	<b>09:00</b> Mzansi Insider	<b>08:30</b> Isidingo	<b>09:00</b> Generations: The Legacy R	<b>08:30</b> Isidingo
<b>09:30</b> Muvhango	<b>09:30</b> Muvhango	<b>13:30</b> Sport Magazine	<b>10:00</b> Gospel Gold	<b>09:00</b> Generations: The Legacy R	<b>09:30</b> Muvhango	<b>09:00</b> Generations: The Legacy R
<b>10:00</b> Skeem Saam R	<b>10:00</b> Skeem Saam R	<b>14:00</b> Soccer 411	<b>11:00</b> Identity	<b>09:30</b> Muvhango	<b>10:00</b> Skeem Saam R	<b>09:30</b> Muvhango
<b>10:30</b> Retro Comedy	<b>10:30</b> Emzini	<b>15:00</b> Soccer Build-Up	<b>11:30</b> The Chatroom	<b>10:00</b> Skeem Saam R	<b>10:30</b> Emzini	<b>10:00</b> Skeem Saam R
<b>11:00</b> The Chatroom	<b>11:00</b> Wezinsizwa	<b>15:30</b> Laduma Live	<b>12:00</b> Big Up	<b>10:30</b> Emzini	<b>10:30</b> Wezinsizwa	<b>10:30</b> Emzini
<b>11:30</b> The Link	<b>11:30</b> Cutting Edge	<b>17:30</b> Roots	<b>12:30</b> Roots	<b>11:00</b> Shift	<b>11:00</b> Shift	<b>11:00</b> Shift
<b>12:00</b> Identity	<b>11:30</b> 100% Youth	<b>18:00</b> Friends Like These	<b>13:00</b> Live Amp	<b>12:00</b> Yilungelo Lakho	<b>12:00</b> Soccer Zone	<b>11:30</b> Selimathunzi
<b>12:30</b> Big Up	<b>12:00</b> Friends Like These	<b>19:00</b> News	<b>14:30</b> Real Goboza	<b>13:00</b> Lunchtime News	<b>13:00</b> Lunchtime News	<b>12:00</b> Khumbul'ekhaya
<b>13:00</b> Lunchtime News	<b>13:00</b> Lunchtime News	<b>19:30</b> The Real Goboza	<b>15:00</b> Laduma	<b>13:30</b> Making Moves	<b>13:30</b> Ispani	<b>13:00</b> Lunchtime News
<b>13:30</b> Fan Base	<b>13:30</b> Yilungelo Lakho	<b>20:00</b> Soccer Build-Up	<b>17:30</b> Kulcha Kwest	<b>14:30</b> Matt Hatter Chronicles	<b>14:30</b> Iron Man	<b>13:30</b> My World
<b>14:00</b> Zaziwa	<b>14:30</b> ANT Farm	<b>20:15</b> Soccer	<b>18:00</b> Come Again	<b>15:00</b> YO.TV	<b>15:00</b> YO.TV	<b>14:30</b> Zheng He's Voyage
<b>14:30</b> Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles	<b>15:00</b> YO.TV	<b>22:15</b> Skyroom Live	<b>19:00</b> News	<b>16:00</b> Teenagers On A Mission	<b>16:00</b> Teenagers On A Mission	<b>15:00</b> YO.TV
<b>15:00</b> YO.TV	<b>16:00</b> Bona Retsang	<b>23:15</b> TBA	<b>19:30</b> Sunday Live	<b>16:30</b> The Steve Harvey Show	<b>16:30</b> The Steve Harvey Show	<b>16:00</b> Bona Retsang
<b>16:00</b> Bona Retsang	<b>16:30</b> The Steve Harvey Show		<b>20:00</b> TBA	<b>17:28</b> Izwi La Bantu News	<b>17:28</b> Izwi La Bantu News	<b>16:30</b> The Steve Harvey Show
<b>16:30</b> The Steve Harvey Show	<b>17:28</b> Reflections Of Faith		<b>22:00</b> Best Years	<b>17:30</b> Nyan Nyan	<b>18:00</b> Nyan Nyan	<b>17:30</b> News
<b>17:30</b> News (Siswati/ Ndebele)	<b>17:30</b> Vaya Mzansi		<b>23:00</b> Koze Kuse	<b>18:00</b> Skeem Saam	<b>18:00</b> Skeem Saam	<b>18:00</b> Moka Pelo
<b>18:00</b> 100% Youth	<b>18:00</b> Fan Base			<b>18:30</b> News	<b>19:00</b> News	<b>18:30</b> Skeem Saam
<b>18:30</b> Skeem Saam	<b>18:30</b> Skeem Saam			<b>19:30</b> Thandeka's Diary	<b>19:30</b> Selimathunzi	<b>19:00</b> News
<b>19:00</b> News	<b>19:00</b> News			<b>20:00</b> Generations: The Legacy	<b>20:00</b> Generations: The Legacy	<b>19:30</b> Ithuba
<b>19:30</b> Zaziwa	<b>19:30</b> Jika Majika			<b>20:30</b> Uzalolo	<b>20:30</b> Uzalolo	<b>20:00</b> Generations: The Legacy
<b>20:00</b> Generations: The Legacy	<b>20:00</b> Tempy Pushas			<b>21:00</b> Soccer Zone	<b>21:00</b> Come Again	<b>20:30</b> Uzalolo
<b>20:30</b> TBA	<b>21:00</b> Live Amp			<b>22:00</b> Skyroom Live	<b>22:00</b> The Game	<b>21:00</b> Khumbu'ekhaya
<b>21:30</b> Cutting Edge	<b>22:00</b> The Contractor			<b>23:00</b> Koze Kuse	<b>23:00</b> Koze Kuse	<b>22:00</b> Sports @10
<b>22:00</b> Home Affairs						<b>23:00</b> Soccer
<b>23:00</b> Koze Kuse						

### Top Pick This Week



The Real Goboza









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<b>05:00</b> Grassroots <b>05:25</b> e-Insert <b>05:30</b> e-News (African Language) <b>06:00</b> Sunrise <b>08:00</b> e-News (African Language) <b>09:00</b> Rhythm City <sup>R</sup> <b>09:30</b> Scandal! <sup>R</sup> <b>10:00</b> Ekse: Let's Talk With Masechaba Lekalake <b>10:30</b> The Young And The Restless <sup>R</sup> <b>11:30</b> Checkpoint <b>12:00</b> Downtown Hunters <b>12:30</b> Backstage <b>13:00</b> News Day <b>13:30</b> WWE Raw <b>14:30</b> Peppa Pig <b>14:35</b> Cool Catz <b>15:00</b> SpongeBob SquarePants <b>15:30</b> Jackie Chan Adventures <b>16:00</b> Craz-e World Live <b>16:30</b> The Steve Harvey Show <b>17:30</b> e-News Early Edition (Zulu/Sotho) <b>18:00</b> Ekse: Let's Talk With Masechaba Lekalake <b>18:30</b> Rhythm City <b>19:00</b> e-News Prime Time <b>19:30</b> Scandal! <b>20:00</b> Late Nite News With Loyiso Gola <b>20:30</b> e-News <b>21:00</b> The Descendants <b>23:25</b> Freddy Got Fingered <b>01:15</b> Obese: A Year To Save My Life <b>02:10</b> Love In The Wild	<b>05:00</b> Life By Design <b>05:30</b> e-News (African Language) <b>06:00</b> Sunrise <b>08:00</b> e-News (African Language) <b>09:00</b> Rhythm City <sup>R</sup> <b>09:30</b> Scandal! 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### Top Pick This Week



The Mask Of Zorro

## Gig Guide Rick Ross

## Where YOU Should Be Seen

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**May 1, SA Old Skool Party, Vacca Matta, Montecasino. Tickets are R100-R180.**

**May 2, Bebe Winans Live In East London, Buffalo Park Cricket Stadium. Tickets are R300-R1 500.**

**May 3, Youth Hip-Hop Festival ft. Rick Ross, Moses Mabhida Stadium, Durban. Tickets are R380-R800.**

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PICKS**THE FLASH**

BARRY ALLEN is struck by lightning, with a mix of electrically charged chemical substances. He wakes up nine months later with super powers, and, using them to fight crime in Central City, he becomes known as The Flash. *Catch The Flash, Tuesdays at 19h30 on Vuzu AMP.*

**THE ORIGINALS**

THIS series is about the original vampire family and the dangerous vampire/werewolf hybrid, Klaus, who returns to the magical melting pot that is the French Quarter of New Orleans – a town he helped build centuries ago. *Catch The Originals, Thursdays at 21h30 on Vuzu AMP.*

**DEXTER**

A MIAMI forensic expert moonlights as a serial killer of criminals whom he believes have escaped justice. *Catch Dexter Wednesdays at 20h30 on Fox Crime.*

**48 HOURS**

THIS show covers the most intriguing crime and justice cases that generally involve murder most foul. Each week, *48 Hours* spearheads investigations into emotionally compelling stories of crime and punishment. *Catch 48 Hours, Thursdays at 21h20 on Fox Crime.*

**TRISHA**

JOIN British talk show host Trisha as she tackles issues that affect people from all walks of life. The show aims to help people, and stories range from cheaters being caught out to cosmetic surgery addiction. *Catch Trisha, Mondays at 17h20 on Sony.*

**GROUND FLOOR**

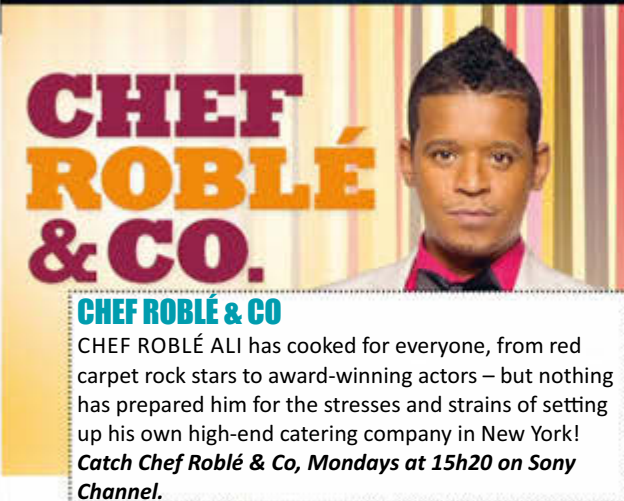
SET in the modern world of corporate America, *Ground Floor* centres on Brody, a young hot-shot banker who thought he was just having a one-night stand with Jenny, a beautiful woman he met at an office party. He discovers, however, that she works in the maintenance department for the building where his bank – Remington Trust – is located. Suddenly their worlds begin to collide in the most unexpected ways. *Catch Ground Floor, Mondays at 19h00 on Vuzu.*

**TURN UP**

JOIN Sammy Sosa as she takes you on a journey on what's happening in the music industry. She also tackles who's trending and keeps you updated on upcoming gigs. *Catch Turn Up, Fridays at 19h30 on Channel O.*

**CROSSING LINES**

THIS series follows the International Criminal Court (ICC) as it investigates cross-border crimes and ultimately bring global criminals to justice. *Catch Crossing Lines, Mondays at 21h50 on Sony Channel.*

**CHEF ROBLÉ & CO.****CHEF ROBLÉ & CO**

CHEF ROBLÉ ALI has cooked for everyone, from red carpet rock stars to award-winning actors – but nothing has prepared him for the stresses and strains of setting up his own high-end catering company in New York! *Catch Chef Roblé & Co, Mondays at 15h20 on Sony Channel.*

**SUPERNATURAL**

TWO brothers follow in their father's footsteps as 'hunters'. They fight evil supernatural beings of many kinds including monsters, demons and supernatural gods who roam the Earth. *Catch Supernatural, Wednesdays at 23h30 on Vuzu AMP.*





# Before They Were Famous...

BY ANGELA BEKIARIS



Shashi with her sister



## SHASHI NAIDOO



Shashi as a young girl



Shashi co-presenting *EMS Volume 1* on SABC



Shashi recording voice-overs for WPT Emperors Palace National Poker Championship



Shashi co-presenting *Tongue In Cheek*



Shashi modelling at a fashion show

THEY'RE big names in South Africa, but it wasn't always the case for these celebrities.

**N**OT only one of the most beautiful women in South Africa, Shashi Naidoo is a talented actress and television presenter too. She's also known for her work as a model – and she's now the sole owner of model agency Alushi management – an MC, entrepreneur and fashion blogger (www.shashiscloset.com), and is one of the founding members of Fashion With Feeling, the first major non-profit organisation in the fashion industry. But can you believe this gorgeous local star was just the average girl next door before rising to fame? Here's what she got up to before she was famous...

- ❖ **SHASHI** was born on November 4, 1980.
- ❖ SHE was born and raised in Port Elizabeth.
- ❖ SHE matriculated from Alexander Road High School in 1997.
- ❖ AS a child Shashi had a pet chicken, goat, rabbit and a dog – however she does add, she didn't have all those pets at once, saying, "That would have been like growing up in a zoo."
- ❖ "I HAVE always had an entrepreneurial spirit," says Shashi, telling us that her first venture was at the age of two when she made and sold mud pies to all her neighbours for two cents each. "A bit tough to maintain," she says, "Because once the cute factor wore off, not many people were interested in buying dirt." She started a follow-up business at about five years old shining shoes for the men on the street, which included a free collection and delivery service. Other ventures have included an events company and a florist.
- ❖ THE star told us that she was actually quite a nerd at school.
- ❖ BELIEVE it or not, Shashi's teenage years were boyfriend-free. "I went through high school with teenage acne, a mono-brow and braces. As horrible as it was then, I am really grateful for it now because I focused on my academics instead."
- ❖ **SHASHI** grew up on the coast and says she is definitely most at peace when she is close to the ocean.
- ❖ **SHASHI** moved to Johannesburg to study chiropractic medicine – which she says took up eight years of her life – and qualified as a doctor in 2007.
- ❖ SHE completed five years of study and two years of internship at the University of Johannesburg.
- ❖ SHE made her way into the public eye in 2004 when she starred in e-tv soapie *Backstage* as Linda McGinty.
- ❖ SHE later had a brief role in SABC 1 soapie *Generations*.
- ❖ DURING this time she also co-hosted the nationwide MTV VJ search.
- ❖ SHE began co-presenting the youth magazine show *EMS Volume 1* on SABC 1 in October 2007.
- ❖ **SHASHI** says a chance encounter resulted in her doing what she does now.
- ❖ BEFORE marrying Mark Sadler in December 2009 (whom she divorced in 2011), Shashi dated reality TV contestant Ismail Hendricks, who appeared on *The Apprentice South Africa* in 2005.



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